

Heard On The White Way



NEAR-NEWS AND CHATTER FOR SATURDAY NIGHT

To the lady first correctly guessing the identity of the person of whom the following is a character sketch, and bringing a copy of this paper to The Tribune office, a cash prize of \$1.00 will be given. The subject of the sketch is a prominent citizen of La Crosse. After winning one prize, a contestant will not be eligible to again compete for a period of three months.

The subject of last week's "Guess Who's Here" contest was George J. Richter, the winner being Mrs. J. H. Richter, 213 South Third street.

With far more business than the average man can attend to, he is never too busy to attend to the business of being a citizen. Plunged in the activities of a profession to the pursuit of which good men are urged more by humanity than by dollars, we find him dodging in and out of

our public problems, leaving good advice or a good check, ready with hand and heart for whatever task duty seems to impose. There's a kindly sparkle in the blue eyes and a warmth in the sandy coloring of the man. Our schools, state and municipal, our health, our pleasures that make for health, our political problems—these all have been given of his time and thought. His strong hand often must struggle with a temper that would run away under the lash of indignation, but a judicial mind makes the work of the restraining hand easier. He has no spare time, but that which he steals from the demands of life come from the portion duly belonging to rest and recreation, and in his quiet moments he may be found absorbed in the storehouse of his richest treasure—his library. With his family about him he affords his community a picture of worthiness, and in hundreds of other homes his coming is welcomed by everyone from grandma to the tot in rompers. He is cut out for achievement, and if you want your troubles cut out, he'll do that, too.

HEAD CRUSHED UNDER MIXER

Seven Year Old Norris Hegge Meets Awful Death While at Play Yesterday Afternoon

Norris Edmund Hegge, aged 7 years, 321 South Twenty-second street, fell in front of a heavy steel cement crusher being removed from Twenty-third street, and sustained a fractured skull and an injured thigh as a result of the wheel passing over him, while six of his companions stood by unable to lend him aid. His father, John C. Hegge stood in an upper window in his home and saw the tragedy.

Hegge and six companions were playing when the cement mixer, attached to a wagon, was being drawn through the alley between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets. Liver Knutson, 322 Jackson street, was driving the wagon, and when he had reached a point about half way through the alley, he was forced to come to a halt on account of the deep sand.

Knutson says that when he stopped that Hegge and his friends all rushed to the scene to get on the wagon and mixer. He asserts that he told them to get off as the mixer was heavy and made a heavy load for the horses in the deep sand.

He thought that the boys had obeyed him, but upon hearing a cry a moment later he brought his horses to a standstill, and when he looked back he saw Norris Hegge under a wheel of the mixer. He immediately went back to lend the boy assistance if possible but he had a hard time in getting him out from under the wheel.

Hegge's body was carried to the home of his parents near the scene of the tragedy, while his father, who had witnessed the accident from a window there, ran to the place where the accident occurred in the hope that the fallen child had been saved. Dr. J. L. Callahan and J. A. Rowles were immediately called to render assistance but it was too late.

The unfortunate lad's companions differ as to how the accident occurred, some saying that Hegge hung on a rear wheel when instructed by the driver to get off, and then fell in front of the mixer when the horses started, while others assert that he fell when he tried to get down from the wagon. Knutson, the driver, is grief stricken.

PIUS E. DUNN FUNERAL TODAY

Friends Gather at the St. Mary's Church to Pay Last Tribute to Veteran Conductor

Many friends paid their last tribute to Pius E. Dunn, the conductor on the Chicago and Northwestern railroad, who died Tuesday, and whose funeral services were held at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock this morning. A large crowd gathered at the church to hear Rev. Condon pronounce the last sad rites over Mr. Dunn.

Rev. Condon said those present were gathered together on a sad occasion, the calling of a man who had been a loving father and husband, loyal friend and faithful member of the parish. He was well liked by all his associates, he had been a faithful church member and had led a good Catholic life.

Mr. Dunn had long belonged to St. Mary's church and he had proven himself a faithful member at all times. It matters not, said Rev. Condon, whether a man be rich or poor, prominent or obscure, but if he is a true member of the church he has lived right. Mr. Dunn had lived right for he had followed his convictions faithfully.

As Mr. Dunn had always lived a good life, Rev. Condon declared that this was not a sad occasion for he would surely receive his reward in the life to come.

Interment took place in the Catholic cemetery, many of Mr. Dunn's friends following him there to see him laid to rest.

WILSON, HARMON OR CLARK, SAYS TAYLOR

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 26.—If Woodrow Wilson does not get too far out in the radical sea, so that the eastern democrats are afraid of him, he will be the candidate for president in 1912 in the opinion of Edward T. Taylor, congressman at large from Colorado, who arrived from Washington today.

If Wilson does waste out too far, however, Judson Harmon, of Ohio, probably will be the man, says the congressman.

"But," Taylor continues with much emphasis, "if Joe Folk realizes that he cannot be nominated and will get out of the way that a Missouri man has a show that man will be Speaker Champ Clark, and I believe, personally, that he is the strongest man today in the party and the one who would more closely unite all factions."

On account of the cold weather which has prevailed this summer together with the low water which has made patronage extremely low this year, the public baths located on Pettibone island were closed today by Fred Schnell of the board of public works.

ROADS AND LABOR SAVING STRENGTH FOR "SHOW DOWN"

Union Presidents to Meet in Kansas City Monday; May Call General Strike

RAILROADS READY TO FIGHT

Wall Street is Anxiously Watching Conference to be Held With Harriman Officials

STRIKE BREAKERS WAITING

Big Systems Plan to Stamp Out Federation of Unions by Immediate Action

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Radical action with a decided probability of a general strike order is expected to follow the meeting Monday in Kansas City of the presidents of the five unions of shop craft employees of the Harriman lines, following the refusal of President Lovett and Vice President Julius Kruttschnitt to treat with the federated unions.

The railroad officials today expressed the belief that they could successfully combat such a strike at this time, while the union leaders are just as insistent that if the strike order is given they can tie up the entire system inside of three days.

A strike of the system federation on the Harriman lines in all probability will be followed by strikes on other roads, notably the Illinois Central where a strike vote already has been taken and the strike call only awaits the action of the union presidents.

Men Anxious to Strike. Reports received here today from the officials of the unions in the far west indicate that the men are getting restless under restraint and may take precipitate action without waiting for a strike order from the various international presidents.

Union leaders declared today the action of President Lovett and Vice President Julius Kruttschnitt in refusing to deal with the system federation instead of with the individual unions has placed the respon-

- KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 26.—The conference of labor officers to determine action on the Harriman lines situation which was to be held here Monday was abandoned this afternoon and five international presidents of railroad trade unions will leave tonight for San Francisco. This action follows advice from J. W. Kline, president of the blacksmiths, now in Chicago, that Julius Kruttschnitt had agreed to confer with union men in San Francisco.
- This conference will be held there either Wednesday or Thursday.

ability for whatever action may be taken squarely on the shoulders of the railway heads and that the unions must be absolved from blame if they feel called upon to enforce their demands by a general strike order.

According to these same labor leaders the success of the general strike movements abroad especially in England has inspired union men in the far west to the belief that their hope for success in the future lies in a union of union, such as the system federation—rather than in individual strikes by individual unions, representing one craft in the many that are employed by the lines.

Will Hold Conference. Vice President Kruttschnitt has agreed to meet the international presidents on his hurried western trip but has intimated that while he is still willing to treat with the heads of the individual unions, he will never recognize them as representatives of the system federation.

The following international presidents will meet him: J. W. Kline of the blacksmiths; Michael Sullivan of the sheet metal workers; J. A. Franklin, of the boiler makers; E. M. Ryan of the car workers and a representative of James O'Connell of the machinists. These men will represent 25,000 shop craft employees of the Harriman lines.

Kline today received several telegrams from labor men in the coast and in Texas demanding that they be allowed to strike at once. He sent wire imploring them to hold off a few days. He also received a telegram from Julius Kruttschnitt, director of operation and maintenance of the Harriman lines, saying he would meet the labor men any time next week in San Francisco. Kline says the conference will probably be (Continued on page 6, 3rd column)

SWEATING BRINGS OUT CONFESSION

William Lee Admits He Killed Father With an Ax; But Claims Self Defense

FIANCEE FAINTS AT GRAVE

Boy Declares He Found His Father Standing Over Mother and Brother With Ax

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Aug. 26.—Having now bound himself up hopelessly within the meshes of the law through conflicting stories as to how his father, mother and brother came to their deaths in their home at Boonville early Thursday morning, the police authorities here today expect to wring from William Lee a complete confession of his guilt of slaying the three members of his family.

Brought here for safe keeping late yesterday, young Lee had lost some of his self composed air today and the local officers planned to give him a severe sweating. After a blood stained undershirt had been found hidden under the covers of his bed at the Boonville home, Lee confessed to Sheriff Scales that he killed his father with an axe, but placed the crime of slaying the mother and the brother on the dead man's head.

Awakened by moans and groans, Lee said he rushed to his parents' room to find his father standing over their dead bodies with an axe. Fearing for his own life, he took the weapon from his father and killed him.

Dr. C. P. Robinson who examined the bodies, stated today, however, that he was positive the elder Lee was the first to die. When he reached the Lee home the body of the father was cold and stiff, indicating death had ensued many hours before. The bodies of the mother and brother were still slightly warm and flexible, he said.

Lee will not be permitted to see Miss Mina Taylor to whom he was to have been married on the day the gruesome find was made at his home by firemen, unless the police officers decide she might influence him to make a more complete confession.

The seventeen year old girl attended the funeral of her lover's parents yesterday and, as the bodies were lowered into the graves, fainted.

Evidence before the coroner's jury indicates there was a family quarrel over money matters in connection with Lee's marriage before the murder.

FOR LOVE OF COUNTRY

ARRIAGA ACCEPTS FIRST PRESIDENCY OF NEW REPUBLIC OF PORTUGAL; FIGHTS FOR DEMOCRACY

LISBON, Aug. 25.—With constitutional government established in Portugal, the youngest republic, Mandel de Arriaga, the first president, wrote today for the United Press the following:

"I accept the presidency of our new republic in the hope of conciliating all the factions which are bound to spring up in the course of such a radical change as Portugal has made in her government. Personally, I regret to sacrifice my quiet happy life and I do so only because of my love for the principles of democracy which I have defended for more than fifty years.

"I hope to establish an equilibrium which will solidify the country and place the government above the intrigue and differences of politics. I shall not represent any party but all parties shall receive due recognition and fair treatment from my administration. The new cabinet will not be selected with reference to any particular group of statesmen but I shall appoint men in whose ability I have confidence and who I believe will help me secure the respect and support of all our people. The future of our nation depends upon the wisdom of this first administration. The republic will be on trial and I shall seek advice from every honest patriotic party."

WEDS WIFE'S CHOICE

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 26.—W. A. Haines, Detroit business man, fulfilled his promise to his first wife on her deathbed by marrying again and marrying the girl picked out by his dying wife.

SHOE BETTER THAN GUN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—Miss Emma Holder of Clarksville shot six revolver bullets at a rabbit in her garden and missed each time. Then she took off her shoe and knocked the bunny unconscious first crack.

CAT PICKS APPLES

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 26.—H. Banker has trained a sat to pick apples. The cat can knock them off the tree faster than one person can pick them up, Banker says.

HOLE IN RAIL IS CAUSE OF WRECK

List of Dead as Result of Lehigh Road Disaster is Expected to Reach Forty

G. A. R. VETERAN IS HERO

Sets Emergency Brake Preventing Five Coaches From Going Over Precipice

MANCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 26.—Following a complete search of the ruins of the wrecked day express on the Lehigh Valley railway the county and railway officers agreed that the death list was twenty-seven and that of the thirty-eight seriously hurt in the hospitals at Canandaigua and Rochester not less than eight are certain to die. It has also been determined that the wreck was due directly to a defective rail which crumbled under the train.

A staff of sixteen undertakers worked all night embalming bodies in the hastily improvised morgue in the basement of a country furniture store. Coroner Elseline today said that he will hold the inquest on Monday. Meanwhile he is granting permits for the removal of the bodies as fast as they are identified.

Revised List of Dead

The list of dead revised today: Becker, Henry, Waverly, N. Y.; brakeman, 33.

Belt, D. M., Los Angeles, veteran, about 70; died in Rochester on way to hospital.

Headley, Mrs., Philadelphia.

Hickley, Joseph, Philadelphia; skull crushed.

Hicks, Charles, Newark, N. J.; ribs crushed.

Hunsicker, A. M., Vineland, Ont.

Johnson, Dr. C. P., Philadelphia.

Johnson, Mrs. C. F., 1419 Detroit street, Cleveland, Ohio; husband in Rochester, injured.

Madden, T. C., Trenton, N. J.; neck broken.

Pangborn, Dr. Edward, Brooklyn, N. Y.; 70; civil war veteran; skull crushed.

Pownall, Helen, on whose person a note was found asking that in case of accident, Wesley A. Pownall of Newton, Pa., be notified; neck broken.

Uncle, I. S., Smithville, N. J.; base of skull fractured and scalp torn off.

Uncle, Mrs. I. S., Smithville, N. J.

Zudeck, Mrs. Barbara, Buffalo, whose daughter was with her.

Unidentified woman about 30; blond hair and blue eyes; wore a blue serge skirt and green and white striped waist; "M. C. H." on pins.

Unidentified woman with light hair and light complexion; weight about 150 pounds; wore striped silk waist.

Unidentified woman about 55; weight about 145 pounds; brown eyes and dark hair streaked with gray; neck broken.

Unidentified woman whose left arm and shoulder were crushed and jaw broken.

Unidentified woman, weight about 175 pounds.

Unidentified woman, dark hair, gray in front, eyes gray; wore black suit and white waist; weight about 140 pounds; age, 55; "F. W." in watch.

Unidentified woman, 35; black hair and blue eyes; wore yellow and blue checked skirt; neck broken and face crushed.

Unidentified woman wearing a gold band ring in which was engraved "Mamie, Nov. 23, '83;" neck broken.

Unidentified woman about 40; brownish hair, wearing black skirt and white waist and with letters "M. E. H." on a breastpin.

Unidentified boy, 5 or 6, brown hair, blue eyes, wearing gray striped suit.

W. P. Rundle, Easton, Pa., died in a hospital at 3:40 this morning.

Miss Emily Hill, Philadelphia, died in a hospital at 2 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Rebecca H. Vanderlip of Niagara Falls, and Mrs. Fred Winkler of Philadelphia.

Cars Crumple Like Paper

As usual, the great number of deaths took place in the flimsy day coaches. The big steel diner and the Pullmans, although subjected to fully as great a strain as the cars that crumpled like paper held fast and their occupants were only bruised and cut. The wooden coaches, however, split and went all to pieces in the crash and their inmates were cut to death by splinters of wood, iron and glass.

The faulty rail had been in place for twenty months and held true, but the pressure from the heavy double-header New York express caused it to split and the middle of the train careened over the embankment into the water below.

Bodies Badly Mangled

Archibald Buchanan, supervisor of equipment of the public service division, and two assistants took charge of the situation today. They are making a searching investigation into the causes. The inquiry is proceeding very slowly. Many of the bodies were terribly mangled but on most of them are jewelry and other

BEATTIE JURORS SEE BLOODY AUTO

Alleged Slayer is Undisturbed by Examination of Growsome Exhibit at Trial

CHATS WITH THE JURYMEN

Aged Father of Prisoner Troubled by Trend of Evidence Against His Son

CHESTERFIELD, COURT HOUSE, Va., Aug. 26.—Under a spreading sycamore tree in Chesterfield courthouse yard the twelve men who will decide the fate of Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., this afternoon pawed over the blood stained automobile in which Beattie carried home the body of his murdered wife.

The whole court was moved from the tiny courtroom. Judge Watson, in his linen suit, led the jury, the prisoner, the lawyers for the defense and the commonwealth out on the lawn. A crowd of morbidly curious had gathered about the gruesome exhibit and it took some time for the sheriff to drive them back.

The jury crowded about the car, while the prisoner stood at the front with his right foot resting nonchalantly on a wheel. The jurors went to the matter quickly. Clambering about the front seat of the machine where Beattie held the body of his wife, they pried loose the clogged cushions, gazing attentively at the great dark spot.

Four got down under the car and stretched on their backs and examined the drip pan and lower machinery.

From top to bottom they went over the car. Then they demanded that the supports of the front seat be removed. Evidently they wanted to see if by any chance the flood of blood could have worked down through the seats and dripped to the big blood pool found in the road.

Judge Watson summoned a chauffeur and with pliers and chisel he pried with eagerness and demanded that he remove the foot board before the front seat. At this point Beattie grew interested and joining the jurors he pointed out the condition of the footboard and seat smiling as they turned to listen to his comment. The rapid fire click of cameras as photographers snapped the dramatic incident aroused Judge Watson and he ordered the camera men off instructing the sheriff to move the crowd back.

Beattie Talks To Jurors.

For twenty minutes the jurors, Beattie, lawyers and the judge stood about the machine. Then the strange procession returned to the courtroom.

Throughout the examination, Beattie hovered as near the jurors as possible, even conversing with them at times. The examination of the car concluded that part of the prosecution's line of evidence calculated to show that Mrs. Beattie was murdered in the road and not in the machine.

The future seemed sombre for Beattie when court opened today. Witnesses to corroborate the testimony of yesterday which indicated that Beattie visited the scene of the crime early on the evening of the killing—to hide his gun, the prosecution says—were called. With this point nailed down and the fact established that the murdered girl uttered a shrill cry of terror before the gun was fired, the prosecution will have the groundwork of their case complete. Then will come Paul Beattie, with his story of buying the gun; the Norfolk woman who will testify that they heard Beattie declare he wanted to be rid of his wife, and then Beulah Binford, the "woman in the case."

Wriggles In Seat.

The steady grinding of the mills against him today moved Henry Beattie out of his frozen vaim. He wriggled uneasily in his seat as he framed the line of cross-examination, which lawyers Smith and Carter followed. The lawyers, too, were apprehensive, and they pounded witnesses mercilessly to break down the web which they see gathering about their client.

The aged father of the prisoner, seated with his arm about his accused son, showed more plainly than anyone else in the courtroom, the gradual trend of evidence against the boy whose troubles have drawn the lines of care on the old man's pallid face.

The possibility of Henry Beattie taking the stand at the conclusion of the trial to make the final appeal of his fight for life was talked of today. Harry Smith, chief counsel for the accused, nervous and troubled over the strength of the case the prosecution is making, was for putting his client forward to make his own appeal. But the Beattie family and Beattie himself were opposed to this course.

WOULDN'T BUTTON HER UP

MORRISTOWN, Pa., Aug. 26.—Because Hubby "Doesn't like the shape of her dress," won't book up her dress, or even buy her shoe strings, Mrs. Jessie Gould, former Philadelphia belle, is suing for divorce.

500 BURIED IN RUINS BY FALL OF GRANDSTAND

More Than 300 Are Injured in Catastrophe at Elgin Auto Races

LORIMER'S DAUGHTER HURT

Races Resumed While Ambulances are on Field Removing Victims of Crash

HUGE CROWDS IN PANIC

Racers Drive Through Maddened Mobs; Soldiers With Bayonets Driven Back

ELGIN, Ill., Aug. 26.—Just as the first of the ten great racers in the Elgin National trophy race, flashed past the judges' stand in the first lap at a 75 mile an hour clip, a long section of the temporary grand stand collapsed, burying 500 men, women and children in the debris.

In a wild panic that followed thousands flocked from the remaining portions of the stands and dashed onto the track, in the path of the great speed masters. Bayonets of state soldiers and clubs of deputy sheriffs failed to hold the crowds in check. Through this mob of fright maddened persons the cars dashed, until, flagged down by Starter Wagner, and the race stopped. It was announced that the race would be resumed as soon the track could be cleared.

Four Likely to Die

More than three hundred persons were cut, bruised and crushed in the squirming mass of humanity that toppled with the stands. Four persons, it is admitted, received serious injuries, some of them sustaining broken bones. Two women had legs broken. It is feared they will die.

The other injured were able to go to their homes as soon as given first aid by the surgeons from the motor ambulance stationed about the course. Order was quickly restored though with a great show of violence. Soldiers with the butt end of their rifles clubbed and fought back the crowds that, in an effort to pull men and women from the struggling mass, were interfering with the work of the organized rescuers. Newspaper photographers' cameras were smashed and reporters clubbed by zealous deputy sheriffs.

Chief Justice Harry Olsen of the municipal court of Chicago, his wife and child, were among those who were injured, though the extent of their injuries have not yet been learned.

Races are Resumed

The road races were resumed while hospital ambulances were still (Continued on page 6, 5th column)

WEATHER

For La Crosse and vicinity: Unsettled weather with probably showers tonight or Sunday; slightly warmer tonight.

For Wisconsin: Fair tonight with warmer south portion; Sunday increasing cloudiness and unsettled by night.

For Minnesota: Increasing cloudiness with showers tonight or Sunday; cooler northwest portion tonight.

For Iowa: Increasing cloudiness with probably showers late tonight or Sunday; warmer southeast portion tonight.

Weather Notes. Rain has been quite general during the past 24 hours from Texas northeastward through the Tennessee and Ohio valleys to the middle and north Atlantic states and continues at a few stations this morning; elsewhere the weather is generally clear. The temperature changes have been small as a rule but is somewhat higher in the upper Mississippi valley and lake region and generally lower in North Dakota, Montana and the Canadian northwest.

The pressure is moderately low over the Pacific slope and from the plateau region to Lake Superior and relatively high in British Columbia. This low will cause unsettled weather in this section tonight and Sunday with probably showers. The temperatures will be slightly higher tonight and moderate over Sunday.

River

Flood Stage Height Change.

St. Paul07 0.7 0.0

Red Wing14 0.0 -0.1

Reeds Landing .12 -0.4 -0.1

La Crosse12 1.0 -0.1

Pr. du Chien .18 1.5 -0.2

The river stages will not change materially during the next 48 hours but probably fall slightly.

LOCAL GOLFER

WINS 1st.
FLIGHT

CHICAGO

IS ON
MAT

BONDIES

LOSE
AGAIN

GIANTS

TRIM THE
PIRATESSTEELE CAN'T
HOLD GIANTS

New York Club Takes Con-
test From Pirates and
Lead From the
Cubs

REDS AGAIN DO THE PIRATES

Alex, the Great, Dethroned
by Cincinnati Swat-
ters; Sox Step
on Yanks

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York 3, Pittsburgh 2.
NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—By de-
feating the Pirates, the Giants again
assumed the lead in the pennant
race. The Pirates lost by a score
of 3 to 2. In the last half of the
eighth, with the score 2 to 1 in favor
of the Pirates, the Giants scored two
runs and won the game.

Score: R H E
New York . . . 00100002—3 4 5
Pittsburgh . . . 10000001—2 7 0
Batteries—Ames, Crandall and
Meyers; Hendrix, Steele and Gibson.

Cincinnati 8, Philadelphia 4.
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 26.—Cin-
cinnati won again from the Phillies
by hitting Alexander, who succeeded
Curtis in the tenth. The start of the
game was delayed for some time by
hooting and howling of the fans at
the umpire over yesterday's deci-
sions. A number of missiles were
thrown into the field and there was
much confusion.

Score: R H E
Philadelphia . . . 30000001—4 11 3
Cincinnati . . . 0010100114—8 15 4
Batteries—Curtis and Spencer;
Caspar, Smith, McLean and Clarke.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Chicago 6, New York 5.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—By sending
four pitchers against the Yankee
aggregation, tying the score in the
seventh when Humphill let Walsh's
single get through his fingers and
taking another tally in the eighth
the White Sox won a slow game
from New York, 6 to 5.

Score: R H E
Chicago . . . 20110011—6 8 2
New York . . . 011100200—5 13 2
Batteries—Scott, Benz, Baker,
Young, White and Block; Fisher,
Vaughn Sweeney and Blair.

BOSTON 3-6, ST. LOUIS 2-2

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 26.—Boston won
both games from St. Louis, taking
the first 3 to 2, and the second, 6
to 2. Wood twirled fairly good ball
in the opener, while Lake was hit
hard in the pinches. In the second
Hamilton was easy while Hall, who
relieved Thomas, never gave St.
Louis a chance. The second battle
was called in the seventh on account
of darkness. Scores:

First game—R H E
St. Louis . . . 100000001—2 7 5
Boston . . . 100010001—3 8 1
Batteries—Lake, Peltz and Stev-
ens; and Nunemaker.

Second game—R H E
St. Louis . . . 000200—2 3 3
Boston . . . 000123—6 11 2
Batteries—Hamilton and Kirchell;
as, Hall and Carrigan.

DETROIT 16-6, DETROIT 2-7

DETROIT, Aug. 26.—The Tigers
had a tough time getting a split with
the Nationals today, losing the first,
16 to 2, and being compelled to go
ten chapters to get the second 7 to
6. Score:

First game—R H E
Detroit . . . 000001010—2 10 11
Washington . . . 012040045—16 16 0
Batteries—Mullin, Lafitte and
Schmidt; Johnston and Street.

Second game—R H E
Detroit . . . 03100021—7 13 2
Washington . . . 201100110—6 8 0
Batteries—Willett and Schmidt;
Cashon, Gray and Henry.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Indianapolis 7, St. Paul 6.

Score: R H E
Indianapolis . . . 30010030—7 9 2
St. Paul . . . 003100200—6 6 0
Batteries—White, Kimball and
Ritter; Rieger, Chech and Land.

TOLEDO 1, MILWAUKEE 0

Score: R H E
Toledo . . . 000000001—1 7 2
Milwaukee . . . 000000000—0 2 1
Batteries—Yigling and Donahue;
Nicholson and Marshall.
Rain at Columbus.
Rain at Louisville.

The moral responsibility which a
man feels for his wife is something
astonishing. But—O, well, somebod-
y's got to be good!

BASE BALL
TOMORROW

La Crosse Clothing Co.
VS.
La Crosse Athletics

First game of a series of 3
for semi-professional
Championship of
La Crosse.

Game Called 3:00 Sharp
at League Park.

BRENTON DOWNED
BY THE SURGEONS

Luck of the Celler Champs
Change and One More
Defeat is Added to
Outcasts' Standing

GOPHERS TAKE THE LEAD

Rochester Makes Tallies in
Second and Third in-
nings and Bondies
are Helpless

ROCHESTER, Minn., Aug. 26.—A

battle royal was waged between the
cellar champs and aspirants to that
position yesterday when the Surgeons
defeated the Outcasts 3 to 2. Brenton
pitched fair ball and received
perfect backing but weakened in the
second frame, allowing the Roches-
ter club two runs. Neuschaefer took
a brace at critical moments and kept
the Bondies behind from the start.

Score: R H E
La Crosse . . . AB R H PO A E
Klein, rf . . . 5 1 2 1 1 0
Kelly, 1b . . . 5 0 2 12 1 0
Safford, cf . . . 5 0 1 2 0 0
Black, 3b . . . 4 1 0 1 6 0
Wals, c . . . 4 0 1 4 3 0
Kernan, Joe, 2b . . . 4 0 2 3 0 0
Bond, lf . . . 2 0 0 0 0 0
Snyder, ss . . . 4 0 1 1 2 0
Brenton, p . . . 4 0 0 0 4 0

Totals . . . 37 2 9 24 17 0
Rochester . . . AB R H PO A E
Jude, cf . . . 4 1 2 1 0 0
Kernan, Jack, 3b . . . 0 0 0 2 0 0
Roy, lf . . . 3 0 0 1 0 0
Punn, 1b . . . 3 0 1 11 1 0
Brown, 2b . . . 3 1 1 5 3 1
Nye, ss . . . 3 1 1 2 1 0
McGarry, c . . . 3 0 1 5 1 0
Carbett, rf . . . 3 0 0 3 0 1
Neuschaefer, p . . . 3 0 2 0 2 0

Totals . . . 27 3 8 27 11 3
Rochester . . . 02100000—3
La Crosse . . . 001001000—2
Two base hits—Klein. Sacrifice
hits—Jack Kernan 2, Dunn, Bond.
Passes on balls—Off Neuschaefer, 6;
off Brenton, 1. Struck out—By Neu-
schaefer, 5; by Brenton, 4. Hit by
pitched ball—Bond. Wild pitch—
Brenton. Passed ball—McGarry.
Stolen bases—Roy, Neuschaefer, Saf-
ford, Snyder. Left on bases—Roch-
ester, 4; La Crosse, 8. Umpires—
Lang and Watson.

**WINDY CITY SWEEP
BY MAT CRAZE**

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Chicago to-

day is wrestling mad. On street cor-
ners, in sporting headquarters, in
fact all places where men are wont
to congregate the sole topic of con-
versation is the Hackenschmidt-
Gotch match. This does not only ap-
ply to Chicago but all localities
where wrestling in the last few
years has been popularized; Cin-
cinnati, Ohio, Knoxville, Tenn.,
Minneapolis, Minn., Des Moines, Io-
wa, Omaha, Neb., Kansas City, Buf-
falo, N. Y., and Detroit, Michigan.
In fact many more of the leading
centers will send their delegations
to the mat side of the Hacken-
schmidt-Gotch match via special
trains, and it is now a positively
assured fact that before the gates
open at Comiskey Park on Septem-
ber 4th each one of the 35,000 seats
will be disposed of and that an en-
thusiastic packed house will greet
the wrestlers when they step on the
mat, rain or shine, at three p. m.
on September 4. Sporting men and
professional people from all parts
of the country will head special par-
ties for Chicago. William Muldoon
will bring a party from White Plain,
N. Y., and the veteran ex-champion
says he cannot even venture a guess
as to the winner of the match.

RESTORE GRAY HAIR
TO NATURAL COLOR

By Common Garden Sage, a Simple
Remedy for Dandruff, Fall-
ing, Faded, Gray Hair.

The old idea of using sage for
darkening the hair is again coming
in vogue. Our grandmothers used
to have dark, glossy hair at the age
of seventy-five, while our mothers
have white hair before they are fifty.
Our grandmothers used to make a
"sage tea" and apply it to their
hair. The tea made their hair soft
and glossy, and gradually restored
the natural color.

One objection to using such a pre-
paration was the trouble of making
it, especially as it had to be made
every two or three days, on account
of souring quickly. This objection
has been overcome, and by asking
almost any first-class druggist for
Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair
Remedy the public can get a superior
preparation of sage, with the admix-
ture of Sulphur, another valuable
remedy for hair and scalp troubles.
Daily use of this preparation will
not only quickly restore the color
of the hair, but will also stop the
hair from falling out and make it
grow.

This preparation is offered to the
public at fifty cents a bottle, and is
recommended and sold by all drug-
gists.

Special agent, O. T. Erhart, 526
Main St.

GENERALS LEAD
PARK LEAGUE

The Jamesons' Colts dropped
down into second place again by los-
ing to the Copeland Park Stars 6 to
1. The Stars put up a fine game of
ball, not even letting the Colts have
a chance to score but one run.

The Slashers continued their run
to the top winning from the Bene-
dicts 5 to 1.

This ends the regular scheduled
games of the Copeland Park League
but the postponed games will be
played off next week. The three
teams, Jamesons' Colts, Generals
and Slashers, all have a show for
the winning of the pennant, and all
have to make a hard fight to land on
top.

Schedule for Next Week.
Monday—
Copeland Park Stars vs Slashers.
Benedicts vs Generals.

Tuesday—
Jamesons' Colts vs Slashers.
Generals vs Infants.

Wednesday—
Jamesons' Colts vs Slashers.
Generals vs Infants.

Standing of the Clubs.
W. L. Pct.
Generals . . . 16 8 .666
Jamesons' Colts . . . 17 9 .654
Slashers . . . 15 9 .625
Copeland Park Stars . . . 15 11 .577
Infants . . . 13 12 .520
Benedicts . . . 11 16 .407

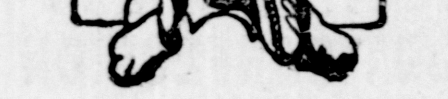
CITY ATTORNEY MOVES
City Attorney A. H. Schubert has
moved into his office in the city hall
the one occupied by the board of
trade for some time, and his office
hours will be from 9 to 10 a. m.
when he will receive all who wish
to consult him.

By winning from the Pirates
while the Cubs were idle, the Gi-
ants assumed the lead by .005 which
isn't much but enough to claim a
pennant if maintained until the
end of the season.

The Speed Boys took both games
of the day, the White Sox to trim
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DIAMOND DUST



It took just a shower of rain-
drops over in Brooklyn to send the
Giants back into first place, for
while the Cubs were idle the hired
men of Mr. McGraw were slipping
one over on the pesky Pirates.

Hendrix, a recruit, held the Gi-
ants safe to two hits for seven in-
nings. He was taken out in the
eighth to permit Campbell to bat
for him, and the Giants took the
game from Steele in the eighth.

The Reds are going to upset
somebody's pennant hopes if they
keep playing this kind of ball,
though how they do it no one
knows. They defeated the Phillies
by 8 to 4 in a ten inning struggle.

Life is just one blamed suspen-
sion after another for member of
Horace Fogel's crew. Acting Man-
ager Doolin got three days for his run
in with Umpire Johnstone.

The rocky road to Dublin was
smooth as glass compared with the
road the Tigers are traveling. They
lost the first game to the Senators
by 16 to 2 but took the second 7 to
6.

In the first game, the Senators
accumulated 21 hits off Mullin and
Lafitte while Peerless Walter John-
son never allowed the Tigers a
chance. Cob got only two hits in
two games.

It took seven pitchers and sixteen
athletes all told for the White Sox
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The Reds knocked Alexander, the
Great, out of the box, Bates getting
three hits and Hoblitzell annexing
four.

The world's champions have a
comfortable lead of five games and
.047 points over the tough luck Ti-
gers.

It is bromodic indeed to chirp
sweetly that "it is some race in the
National and American leagues this
year," but that expresses our feel-
ings, so here goes.

The Giants and Pirates divided a
warm double header. The peerless
Christy Mathewson was knocked out
of the box, as is usual these days.
Marquard, the "lemon," pitched the
wonderful ball he can.

Suggs, the Tigers' castoff, who is
the Reds' mainstay in the box, gave
the Phillies only one hit in ten in-
nings and only six in fourteen in-
nings, which is twirling some.

The White Sox treated the Yan-
kees to a neat 5 to 3 beating. Amby
McConnell fattened his batting av-
erage with three hits.

FORMER OUTCAST
GOES TO MAJORS

Jack Tighe, former manager of
the Rock Island baseball club, and
manager of the Seattle club during
the present season tells of Third-
baseman Bugs, formerly with the
Outcasts and playing under him
this season, who has been sold to
one of the big league clubs.

"I sold \$7,000 worth of players this
year, including Third baseman Bues,
who is one of the best ball players
I ever saw anywhere. He hits like
a real batter and is a wonderful
fielder. I know he will make good
in the big league," said Tighe.

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STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Minn. League

Superior . . . 66 34 .660
Winona . . . 65 37 .637
Duluth . . . 54 45 .545
Eau Claire . . . 47 52 .475
La Crosse . . . 43 59 .422
Rochester . . . 37 65 .364

American Association

Minneapolis . . . 74 54 .578
Columbus . . . 73 56 .566
Kansas City . . . 67 59 .532
St. Paul . . . 62 66 .484
Indianapolis . . . 62 66 .484
Milwaukee . . . 61 67 .477
Toledo . . . 59 70 .458
Louisville . . . 55 73 .430

American League

Philadelphia . . . 74 40 .607
Detroit . . . 68 47 .591
Boston . . . 61 55 .526
Cleveland . . . 57 50 .504
Chicago . . . 59 58 .504
New York . . . 58 59 .496
Washington . . . 52 68 .433
St. Louis . . . 35 82 .299

National League

New York . . . 69 44 .611
Chicago . . . 65 42 .607
Pittsburgh . . . 68 47 .591
Philadelphia . . . 62 51 .549
St. Louis . . . 60 52 .536
Cincinnati . . . 52 60 .464
Brooklyn . . . 44 67 .396
Boston . . . 39 85 .314

Wisconsin-Illinois League

Rockford . . . 63 41 .606
Madison . . . 58 48 .547
Green Bay . . . 53 49 .520
Appleton . . . 54 51 .514
Oshkosh . . . 52 57 .477
Racine . . . 50 56 .472
Aurora . . . 50 57 .467
Fond du Lac . . . 42 63 .400

GAMES YESTERDAY

Minn. League
Rochester, 3; La Crosse, 2.
Superior, 3; Eau Claire, 2.
Duluth, 3; Winona, 1.

American Association
Toledo, 1; Milwaukee 0.
Minneapolis-Columbus, rain.
Louisville-Kansas City, rain.
Indianapolis, 7; St. Paul, 6.

National League
Pittsburgh at New York.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Boston.

Wisconsin-Illinois League
Madison at Green Bay.
Rockford at Fond du Lac.
Aurora at Appleton.
Racine at Oshkosh.

PROTEST NOT ALLOWED

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—President
Lynch of the National league an-
nounced this afternoon that he had
disallowed the protest filed by Pres-
ident Fogel of the Philadelphia Na-
tionals against Friday's game, won
by Cincinnati. Lynch ruled that Um-
pire Eason did perfectly right in con-
sulting Umpire Johnstone and re-
versing his decision, declaring
Downey safe after originally calling
him out.

"We have two umpires for that
very purpose," declared Lynch.

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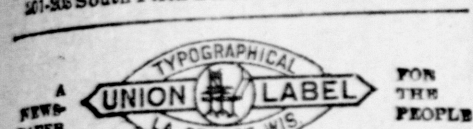
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A. E. BLEEKMAN,
Notary Public.

AMEND IT NOW

The president of the United
States having interfered with the
right of the people of Arizona to
make for themselves a constitution,
what will the people of Arizona do?

The voters of Arizona inserted in
their constitution a clause giving the
public the right to recall from office
judges who by their decisions
defrauded the people of their rights.
It was a legal clause, and the president
did not attempt to question its
legality. He merely vetoed the state-
hood bill, involving two states, be-
cause he did not personally approve
of this recall clause.

However, he did not deem it his
duty to veto the New Mexican con-
stitution on the ground that it un-
duly restricted the rights of the
people of that commonwealth.

Congress, knowing that Arizona
could amend its constitution and re-
insert the recall clause, and dislik-
ing to withhold statehood from the
two territories, cut out the recall
clause and sent the bill back. The
president then signed it.

It was plainly proven in their
adoption of a constitution that a
majority of the people of Arizona
want the recall clause in their con-
stitution. The veto of the president
can have made no change in their
attitude, for when they adopted the
constitution they had been apprais-
ed of his opposition.

Is it not the obvious thing for
the people of Arizona to proceed
promptly to amend their constitu-
tion by again adopting the clause
providing for the recall of bad
judges?

UP TO THE G. O. P.

Certain acts of William Howard
Taft have a bearing upon the possi-
bility of his re-election as president
of the United States. Republicans
who hope to see a continuance of
republican administration cannot af-

ford to overlook this fact; democrats
will not overlook it.

The acts may be summarized as
follows:

(1-a) Mr. Taft, as a candidate,
pledged himself to a reduction of
the tariff schedules.

(1-b) Mr. Taft as president signed
and publicly approved a law that
increased the tariff schedules.

(2) Mr. Taft, a confessed pro-
gressive, inaugurated his adminis-
tration by allying himself with the
interests that opposed the ousting of
Czar Joe Cannon, and the reformation
of the rules.

(3) Mr. Taft, an avowed conser-
vative in his campaign, supplanted
the progressive Garfield with the
reactionary Ballinger as head of the
interior department, and permitted
the ousting of Pinchot, Glavis and
others who sought to protect the na-
tion against the spoliation of the
Morgan-Guggenheim crowd, carry-
ing his defense of these men to ac-
tual misrepresentation, but finally
yielding to popular clamor by re-
linquishing the "services" of Bal-
linger.

(4) Mr. Taft abetted and now
defends the scheme of the Ballinger-
Morgan-Guggenheim crowd in the
seizure of Controller Bay, the one
outlet of the Alaskan coal fields,
consummating the transaction in an
irregular way that involved the
omission of customary notice to the
public and the disappearance of cer-
tain maps from the ward depart-
ment files, the "Dick to Dick" let-
ter, etc.

(5) Mr. Taft and Attorney Gen-
eral Wickersham, one of his consist-
ently standpat cabinet members,
framed a railroad bill in the inter-
est of the railroads, and fought the
efforts of the progressives and dem-
ocrats to amend it into some sen-
sible measure, but now claims credit for it.

(6) Mr. Taft has just vetoed the
Arizona and New Mexico statehood
bill to compel the elimination from
the Arizona constitution of a clause
providing for the recall of bad or
incompetent judges.

(7) Mr. Taft has vetoed the wool
and cotton tariff reduction bills
and the farmers' free list bill on the
ground that they were "unscientific,"
although he has admitted the in-
iquity of the woolen and cotton
schedules and although he signed the
far more unscientific Payne-Al-
drich tariff bill that increased the
tariff schedules.

This is a partial summary of the
record of Mr. Taft. He wants to be-
come president for a second term on
this record. Those who profited by
his administrative acts constituting
the record want him re-elected. What
will the wisdom of the republic-
an party devise?

Quips and Cranks
and Wanton Wiles

Muldoon

There was an athlete named Mul-
doon

Came all the way from Saskatoon.
He was a wrestler of repute.
His prowess none dared to dispute.
By him a challenge wide was hurled
To all the wrestlers of the world,
To meet him on the padded mat,
But there was none who dared com-
bat.

Alas! how fate belittles man,
And brings to naught his fondest plan.

This man Muldoon from Saskatoon,
Was bested in a drink saloon.
With youth and hope and strength
and wealth,

With smiling face and glow of
health,
He stepped up to the bar within
And ordered whisky, wine and gin.
For beer and brandy too, he called;
He drank his fill and then he stalled.

They laid him gently on the floor,
Where he had never been before.
They took his money from his vest,
The dope he guzzled took the rest.
And now Muldoon from Saskatoon,
Is treated as a mere buffoon.
And saddest thing of all, lack!
He bluffs in vain. "He can't come
back!" —J. McKinnon.

Uncle Joe Quotes Scripture

"I was walking down F street
with Uncle Joe Cannon the other
day," said Representative Roden-
berg of Illinois, "and in passing an
art gallery saw a group of pictures
of congressmen in a window. Uncle
Joe stood between Representative
Norris of Nebraska and Murdock of
Kansas.

"Look at that, Uncle Joe," I said,
"If I were in your place I would rise
to a question of personal privilege.
The thought of your being between
Murdock and Norris!"

"I shall not protest," said Uncle
Joe. "What is the use? You will re-
call the story of Christ and the two
men on either side of Him the day
He was crucified. I will say, 'Fa-
ther, forgive them, for they know
not what they do.'" —New York
World.

He Didn't Want Any

Representatives Hughes and Kin-
kead of New Jersey and Cravens of
Arkansas, three of the Irish wits of
the house, had just returned from
the funeral of a colleague and were
discussing the pomp and publicity
of a congressional funeral.

"I do not want any funeral," said
Hughes to Kinkead.

"No, Billy, I do not care to be put
away with so much display. What
about you, Ben?" said Kinkead,
turning to Cravens.

"I do not want any funeral," re-
sponded the southerner, dryly.—
Washington Dispatch to Philadel-
phia Record.

Rabbi Joseph Silverman, the noted
Jewish pastor of New York, tells
an amusing anecdote of an English-
man and a Scotchman who were
bragging in loud tones.

"Me man," said the Britisher,
"taint' hotten a person his token
for royalty, but I've been mistook
for th' prince o' Wales in me young-
er days."

"Hoot, mon," answered the Scot.
"I myself, have been called th' duke
o' Argyll!"

The man selling cigar buttons
paused to listen. "Dat's nuttin'," said
he with a deprecatory gesture, "I was
meetin' ah friend in Ravington stit,
an' he shouted: 'Oh, Holy Moses! Is
it you?'—Cosmopolitan.

While fishing at the lakes down
near Mankato last week Kelm of
this city caught a large flounder.
Being short of bait and as the
flounder is not a very good eating
fish, Mr. Kelm cut off a piece of the
fish and threw the fish back in the
water. After fishing about half an
hour he was surprised to catch the
same fish on a piece of catch. The
alderman swears this is true.—
Sleepy Eye Herald-Dispatch.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs.
John Harding was injured by falling
on a stone which required several
stitches to close.—Savanna Daily
Times.

Town Named After Ollie James.

Representative Ollie James of
Kentucky, who is so busy running
for senator that his heroic figure has
been absent from the house for a
good many days of late, was ap-
proached recently by Representative
Tom Hefflin of Alabama. Mr. Hefflin
patted the shining dome of Mr.
James in a fatherly way and said:

"You're getting famous, Ollie!"

Mr. James did not deny the ac-
cusation but asked why.

"They have named a town after
you," said Hefflin.

"Oh," said James, in a nonchalant
manner. "I suppose so. You know
they named a race horse after me,
once—called it Congressman James
—and it was a pretty good horse,
too."

"But this is a town," said Hefflin,
"and that puts you in the presiden-
tial class."

"Where is it?" asked James.

"Out in the Ozark Mountains,"
said Hefflin, as he sauntered away.
"It's called Bald Knob." —Brooklyn
Eagle.

DETECTIVE GIVES UP

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 26.—
Detective James Hosick of Los An-
geles appeared at the sheriff's office
at 3:30 yesterday afternoon and
gave himself up on the charge of
kidnaping John J. McNamara. Hos-
ick furnished bond in the sum of
\$10,000. He said he might remain
here several days.

THE PURCHASE PRICE

An American Novel.

BY
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He went down now into the quiv-
ering tissues and laid bare the edge
of the broken bone, deep to the in-
ner lines. Thus the front of the
shattered bone lay exposed. The doc-
tor sighed, as he pushed at this
with a steady finger, his eyes frown-
ing, absorbed. The bullet wound in
the interior edge was not clean cut.
Near it was a long, heavy splinter
of bone, the cause of the inflamma-
tion—something not suspected in
the hurried dressing of the wound
in the half darkness at the river
edge. This bone end, but loosely
attached, was broken free, thrust
down into the angry and irritated
flesh.

For an instant Jamieson studied
the injury. The silence of death was
in the room. The tense muscles of
the patient might have been those
of a lifeless man. Only the horrid
sound of the dripping blood, fall-
ing from the table upon the carpet,
broke the silence.

In time the doctor became lighter
in his speech, less frequent in his
visits. "You're not going to lose
that musical leg, Dunwoody," said he.
"Old Ma Nature beats all us sur-
geons. In time she'll fill you in a
nice new bone along there maybe,
and if you're careful you'll have two
feet for quite a while yet to come.
You've ruined old Eleazar's fiddle,
though, taking that E string! Did I
ever tell you all about that coon
dog of mine I had, once?"

Dunwoody at last reached the
point of his recovery where he
could grin at these remarks; but if
anything, he had grown more grim
and silent than before. Once in a
while his eyes would linger on the
face of Josephine. Little speech of
any kind passed between them.
There were no callers at Tailwoods,
no news came, and apparently none
went out from that place. It might
have been a fortress, an island, a
hospital, a prison, all in one.

At length Dunwoody was able
safely to leave his room and to take
up a resting place occasionally in
the large library across the hall. He
did not at first note her coming,
and she had opportunity now care-
fully to regard him, as he stood
moody looking out over the lawn.
Always a tall man, and large, his
figure had lined down in the con-
finement of the last few weeks. It
seemed to her that she saw the
tinge of gray crawling a little high-
er on his temples. His face was not
yet thin, yet in some way the lines
of the mouth and jaw seemed
stronger, more deeply cut. It was a
face not sullen, yet absorbed, and
above all full, now, of a settled
melancholy.

"Good morning," said he, smiling
as he saw her. "Come in. I want
to talk to you. But please don't re-
sume our old argument about the
compromise, and about slavery and
the rights of man. You've been try-
ing—all these weeks when I've
been down and helpless and could
not either fight or run away—to
make me a Bentonite, or worse,
an abolitionist—trying, haven't
you? to make me an apostate, faith-
less to my state, my beliefs, my tra-
ditions—and I suppose you'd be
shrewd enough to add, faithless to
my material interests. Please don't,
this morning. I don't want subjec-
tive thought. I don't want algebra.
I don't want history or law, or med-
icine. I want—"

She stood near the window, at
some distance removed from him,
even as he passed stopping to tidy
up a disarranged article on the ta-
bles here or there. He smiled again
at this. "Where is Sally?" he
asked. "And how about your
maid?"

"Some one must do these things,"
she answered. "Your servants need
watching. Sally is never where I
can find her. Jeanne I can always
find—but it is with her young man,
Hector!"

He shook his head impatiently.
"It all comes on you—work like
this. What could I have done with-
out you? But yourself, how are you
coming on? That arm of yours has
pained me—"

"It ceased to trouble me some
time since. The doctor says, too,

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that you'll be quite well, soon.
That's fine."

He nodded. "It's wonderful, isn't
it?" said he. "You did it. Without
you I'd be out there." He nodded to-
ward the window, beyond which the
grass-grown stones of the little
family graveyard might be seen.
"You're wonderful."

He wheeled painfully toward her
presently. "Listen. We two are
alone here, in spite of ourselves.
Face to face again, in spite of all,
and well enough, now, both of us, to
go back to our firing lines before
long. We have come closer together
than many men and women get to
be in a good many years; but we're
enemies, and apart, now. At least
you have seen me pretty much as I
am—a savage—not much more. I've
seen you for what you are—one
woman out of hundreds, of thou-
sands. There isn't going to be any
woman in my life, after you.—
Would you mind handing me that
paper, please?"

He passed the document to her
opened. "Here's what I meant to
do if I didn't come through. It
wasn't much. But I am to pay;
and if I had died, that was all I
could pay. That's my last will and
testament, my dear girl. I have left
you all I have. It is a legal will.
There'll never be any codicil."

She looked at him straight. "It
is not valid," she said. "Surely you
are not of sound mind!"

He looked about him at the
room, for the first time in his mem-
ory immaculately neat. From a
distance there came the sound of a
contented servant's voice. An air
of rest and peace seemed in some
way to be all about him. He sighed.
"I never will be of sound mind
again, I fear."

"Make this paper valid!" he sud-
denly demanded. "Give me my
sound mind too. You've given me
back my body sound."

Her lips parted in a smile suffi-
cient to show the row of her white
and even teeth. "You are getting
well. It is time for me to go. As
to this—"

She handed him back the
paper folded.

"You think it's only an attempt
to heal the soreness of my con-
science, don't you?" he said after
a time, shaking his head. "It was;
but it was more. Well, you can't
put your image out of my heart,
anyhow. I've got that. So you're
going to leave me now? Soon? Let
it be soon. I suppose it has to
come."

"My own affairs require me. There
is no possible tenure on which I
could stay here much longer. Not
even Jeanne—"

"No," said he, at length, again
in conviction, shaking his head.
"There isn't any way."

"You make it so hard," she said.
"Why are you so stubborn?"

"Listen!" He turned, and again
there came back to his face the old
fighting flush. "I faced the loss of
a limb and said I couldn't stand that
and live. Now you are going to cut
the heart out of me. You ask me
to live in spite of that. How can I?
Were you ever married, Madam?"
This last suddenly.

"You may regard it as true," said
she slowly, after long hesitation.
"Were you?"

"You may regard that also as
true!" He set his jaw, and looked at
her straight. Their eyes met, steady-
ly, seeking, searching. They now
again, opposed, stood on the firing
line as he had said.

"But you told me—" she began.

"I told you nothing, if you will
remember. I only said that, if you
could feel as I did, I'd let the heav-
ens fold as a scroll before I'd ask
a word about your past. I'd begin
all the world all over again, right
here. So far as I am concerned, I
wouldn't even care about the law.
But you're not so lawless as I am.
And somehow, I've got to thinking—
a little—of your side of things."

"The law does not prevent me
from doing as I like," she replied.
It was agony that showed on his
face at this.

"That demands as much from
me, if I play fair with you," he said
slowly. "Suppose there was some
sort of law that held me back?"

"I have not observed any vast re-
straint in you!"

"Not at first. Haven't you gained
any better opinion?"

She was one of those able to meet
a question with silence. He was ob-
liged to continue.

"Suppose I should tell you that,
all the time I was talking to you
about what I felt, there was a wall,
a great wall, for ever between us?"

In that case, I should regret
God had made a man so forgetful of
honor. I should be glad Heaven
had left me untouched by anything
such a man could say. Suppose
that?—Why, suppose I had cared,
and that I had found after all that
there was no hope? There comes in
conscience. Sir, there comes in
honor."

(To Be Continued.)

TAFT TALKS CONSERVATION

BEVERLY, Mass., Aug. 26.—If
arrangements can be made Presi-
dent Taft will address the National
Conservation Congress at Kansas City
next month. He will also speak
at the state rights conservation con-
gress in Denver on his western trip.
Former Secretary Ballinger is on
the program there.

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In order to make room for new stock we decided to clean out some odds, and in order to do so we are making some deep cuts in Buffets, Dining Chairs, Iron Beds, Rocker Chairs, Benches, Davenport, Steel Couches, Dressers, Bookcases, Center Tables, Dining Tables, Rugs, Kitchen Cabinets and Linoleums, Favorite Stoves and Ranges... Everything at prices as low as the lowest.

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NORTH SIDE

CAN MAKE MONEY ON FLORIDA FARM

This is Belief of Former North Side Man, Now Resident of St. John's Park, Fla.

That it is possible for anyone to make money by buying a Florida farm and working hard on it, provided that he selects one near enough a shipping point to provide easy disposal of his produce, is the opinion of Dr. C. A. Wright, editor of the New South Magazine, a former north side man, who is now situated on a farm at St. John's Park, Fla.

Dr. Wright has been in Florida several years, and is enthusiastic over the possibilities of the land, although he declares it requires hard work to make farming a success in Florida just as in other parts of the country.

"The most general error that is made by people buying Florida lands," he said today, is to forget the fact that no matter how much fruit and produce they raise, they are worse than useless if they can't ship them. A great many people are located ten miles or more from the nearest shipping point, by rail or water, and they are unable to dispose of its produce before it spoils. They cannot make a success of Florida farming, because we raise mostly perishable things.

"On the other hand, if you are near the water, or near a railroad, you cannot fail to make money with a reasonable amount of work. Last spring I got \$3 a crate for a 3-peck crate of green tomatoes. That price held for three weeks, and although I had only one acre of green tomatoes I got 100 crates of them out of that acre. We always can count on \$1 a box for our first strawberries, and the price for them never runs below 20 cents for a quart box. It is a great orange country, too. The reason we are so successful at St. John's Park is that we are only three days away from New York, with three boats a day running to Jacksonville from our town down the St. John's river."

Most women become intoxicated with the incense that is burnt at another woman's feet.

CANNING RULES LA CROSSE HOMES

Housewives Preparing Varied Assortment for Winter Consumption

Canning and jelly-making are at their height just now and the housewives are busy filling their shelves for the winter. Crabapples, peaches and wild plums are receiving attention, although some are still "putting up" blueberries and raspberries.

The "transparent" crabapples are on the market now priced at 75c a bushel. These are the choicest kind for jelly.

Fine large California peaches are also on the market for \$1.15 a crate.

The wild plums are fine this year and are selling at very low prices. They have been more plentiful than usual this season.

Blueberries are selling for \$2.25 a case but are getting scarce, and the wild raspberries, still to be purchased from the pickers, are bringing higher prices this year than in former seasons.

Cooking apples for 35 cents a bushel are also to be had in the stores.

The variety of fresh vegetables remains about the same and the prices have not varied to any extent. Most of the small vegetables, such as wax and green beans and peas are still 10 cents a quart. Tomatoes are selling for \$1.00 a crate, and cucumbers are 60c a bushel. Kohlrabi are now on the market also for 5c apiece, and the green corn on the market this week is the white corn selling at 15c a dozen.

Potatoes Still High
Heavy receipts of potatoes in this market knocked the price from under the potato market and prices took a slump. The downward movement of values was accelerated by the fact that consumption was restricted by the high prices which have been in effect for the last two months. Despite the decline, prices are still too high for an unrestricted trade, and dealers believe further reductions will be made. Sweet potatoes came forward in

Man's Day at the Piano Has Come at Last—

The love of music is one of the elemental instincts. The desire to produce it—to play for yourself the music you like—is as universal as mankind.

Hitherto the realization of this desire—in America at least—has been largely confined to woman. Few men have the time or inclination to master the keyboard of the traditional piano.

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larger quantities and sold at a decline. This season is early for this vegetable and the trade is not especially broad. More activity is expected to follow further reductions in prices. Green vegetables have been in fair supply, and the sale has been moderately active without any price changes of importance.

NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Thomas Gibson has returned from a visit with friends at Chippewa Falls, Wis.

E. W. Morrison, train master of the River division of the C. M. & St. P., is in La Crosse today.

Running as second section of train No. 18 on the Milwaukee, a silk train of five cars, rushing through from the Pacific coast, passed through North La Crosse this afternoon.

Dr. C. A. Wright, St. John's Park, Fla., editor of the New South Magazine, formerly of the north side, is the guest of H. C. Koehler.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Gardiner, 729 Rose street, returned last evening from a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives in northern Minnesota.

Edward Giroux and Walter Dundon have returned from Chicago, where they attended the big aviation meet.

W. L. Jones, St. John's Park, Fla., is the guest of H. C. Koehler, 1631 George street.

A meeting of the local branch of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers was held Thursday evening in the rooms of the Billiken club. This meeting was the first of the monthly meetings to be held at the club rooms. All of the meetings of the O. R. T. will be held there thereafter.

Misses Evelyn and Lillian Paas left today for Galesville, where they will spend the remainder of their vacation.

Mrs. L. B. Hanson and children have returned from a week's visit with relatives at Prairie du Chien.

Mrs. L. C. DeColon is confined to her home by illness.

Messrs. William Miller, Sigard Erickson and Harry Carlstrom are camping at Pigeon Island for a week.

Mr. Jack Craigen is visiting with William Snyder, who is camping at Staony Point.

Mr. Robert Bonner was a business visitor at West Salem yesterday.

Lester Wheaton, 1510 Kane, who has been spending his vacation at Caledonia, Minn., has returned to his home.

Mrs. Emma Wheaton, who has been visiting her son Earl at 1510 Kane street, has returned to Caledonia.

Mr. McMirrae and sister, after a couple days' visit at Hanover, have returned home.

Mr. John Olson crushed his hand yesterday while at his work at the "Q."

Miss Young of Minneapolis is the guest of Mrs. O'Neil at 1553 Charles street.

Mr. Spencer of Chicago is visiting his mother, Mrs. Spencer, 1600 Charles street.

The official board of the Caledonia street M. E. church held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. McKenzie last evening.

Miss Gertrude De Sautelle of 1443

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Avon street is visiting relatives at Aurora, Ill.

Mr. Harold Schultz of Galesburg is visiting friends at Spring Valley, Minn.

Mrs. Pierce, who was taken to the La Crosse hospital some time ago, is home and improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Rustal of Bloomingdale, who visited Mr. and Mrs. Winge, have returned home.

The coffee given last evening by the Caledonia street M. E. church ladies at the home of Mrs. A. R. Batcheller, 1526 Kane street, proved to be a great success, a large attendance being reported and a bountiful supper served.

Mrs. C. L. Larsen and her daughter Alma leave for St. Paul today on a business trip.

Mrs. H. L. Partridge entertained the choir of the Caledonia street M. E. church last evening at her home in honor of Miss Myrtle Bangsberg, who leaves next week to accept a position as teacher in the high school at Oakfield, Wis. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and music. Delicious refreshments were served. The guests were Misses Myrtle, Corolla and Josephine Bangsberg, Ethel Mulder, Norma Partridge, and Mrs. E. W. De Sautelle, Messrs. Roy Ohlstrom, Charles Shaw, H. Emerson and the Rev. A. V. Ingham.

Mr. W. Devine has moved his family and household goods from 1413 Caledonia street to 1221 Charles street.

Miss Marcella Bice left yesterday for Chicago, where she will spend a week as the guest of relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Wall of Bison, S. D., are visiting with Mr. Henry Wall of 1609 George street.

Mr. Roy Getman has returned from Winton, Wis., after a visit with friends.

Miss Lucille Palmer has returned to her home in Mankato after a visit with north side friends.

Mr. Charles Holbek of 711 Logan street left last night for Dubuque, where he will spend a few days as guest of friends.

Miss R. Nelson of Spring Valley is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Asselin for a few days.

Mr. Frank Welch of 1422 Caledonia street, left this morning for Sparta, where he will visit relatives and friends for a week.

Mrs. Asselin left yesterday for Cassville, where she will spend a few weeks visiting with friends.

Mrs. George Sieger and family have returned from Holmen after a visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Palmer and son Harry have returned to their home in Mankato after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Groff of 1722 Charles street.

Miss Edna Preutz has returned from Seneca, Wis., after a visit with friends.

Misses Blanche Asselin, Julia Semmen, Esther Zimmer and Tekla Schiffer have returned from a visit with friends at Winona.

Miss Pearl Laughlin of 1447 Charles street is on an extended visit with friends in Illinois.

Mrs. Schonfeld and Mrs. A. Buttmiller of Alma are visiting with relatives and friends on the north side.

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MISSING BOY IS FOUND IN PARK

Edgar Orton, the sixteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Orton of 1608 Prospect street, who had been missing since Monday morning when he left home for the Stamp and Tool company, where he was employed, was found asleep in Copeland park yesterday by Officer Deenen.

Although when found by the police Orton claimed to have been home, it was later learned that his parents had seen nothing of him.

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HARRISON HOLLANDER.

Standard of Colors.
The call for international standards of all kinds is becoming every day more insistent with the progressive unification of the industries of the world. The latest demand of this kind is for an international standard of colors.
Chemists, manufacturers of dyes, pigments and many others would benefit by such a standard. It is suggested that when once the desired color scheme has been decided upon, the best method of perpetuating the standards, and rendering them available for comparison everywhere, would be by means of colored glasses with which a tintometer could be constructed. A tentative instrument of this kind, based on an arbitrary color scheme, has been made.—Youth's Companion.

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Salt.
Salt production is about the oldest industry in the world. In Italy, the cradle of the salt industry, it has been manufactured commercially for 2,500 years. Salt is so necessary to existence that in some parts of the world tribes will sell the members of their families in exchange for salt.
Salt has been the cause of wars, and so important has it always been considered that in some places the passing of salt is established as a token of friendship, and women throw salt on a visitor as a friendly greeting. In some countries salt is so scarce that it is obtained through the ashes of grasses and a species of palm and other plants.
While salt is produced in almost every country in the world, it is stated that nowhere can salt of such purity be obtained at anything like the cost of mining as in Louisiana.—Manufacturer's Record.

CONDEMNED TO WORK ON THE STREETS



Mrs. Reese and Judge Smeltzer who showed no partiality in her case over that of the other prisoners.
Iola, Kansas.—The decision of Judge Smeltzer condemning Mrs. Reese to work on the streets the same as any other criminal has brought upon his head a great amount of criticism.
In fact the case has divided the community radically and formed

PERSONAL

When in doubt go to the Bijou. Miss Nedra Wilson of Wyckoff, Minn., is visiting in town, the guest of Miss Frances Bolman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mitchell of this city, visited with Mrs. Taylor at Trempealeau, the fore part of the week.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.
George Gibson and son have returned to the city after a few days' visit at Centerville.

Misses Barbara and Susan Bates of Cashon, were callers in town the past week.

Helen Kroner and Esther Nyhus, of this city, have been guests at the P. E. Mitby home in Cashon.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.
Mrs. Gusta Layland and children have returned from a visit with friends at Bagley.

Miss Ruby Harvey of this city was the guest of Miss Minnie Kuenster at Cassville, the fore part of the week.

The fall term of the Keefe Business College, corner Fourth and Pearl streets, will begin September 5, 1918. This is the school you hear so many recommend. The school that procures good paying positions for its graduates. Write or phone for catalog.

John T. Qualley of Blair, was a recent business caller in town.

Mrs. Hans Johnson and daughters, who have been guests of the Misses Alva and Laura Engen at Hale, returned home Wednesday.

John Anderson of Melrose, transacted business in town early in the week.

Hack calls day and night. Gateway City Transfer Line. Phone 179.

W. P. Colburn of Viroqua was a business caller in La Crosse for several days.

J. A. Anderson arrived in the city from Lansing yesterday to remain here a few days.

Enter your dog at the coming show, in connection with the Interstate fair. Pedigree NOT necessary. Special prizes for local dogs. Entries positively close Sept. 18. Blanks and lists on application to Dr. Harry Dell, Sec'y., or T. S. Chilson, Room 212, Linker Bldg.

W. F. Hammes, a resident of Dubuque is calling on friends and acquaintances here today.

W. A. Lewis from Westby is a business caller in the city for a short time.

All those indebted to T. J. Farlan please call and settle at the store, 410 Main.

Philo Van Dyke came here from Chasburg this morning to transact business here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. White of Stoddard are calling on friends here today.

Mr. Watson, a resident of Caledonia, is visiting friends here for several days.

Miss Jackwitz, sister of Mrs. A. Bellerue, will open a studio at 1119 Cass, Sept. 4th. From the work that I have seen of Miss Jackwitz, I can recommend her very highly as teacher of piano. Louise Nohl Belding, formerly teacher of piano at Wis. College of Music.

M. A. Dederick of Victory is transacting business here today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Alexander of Viroqua are visiting here for a short time.

P. M. Kasine arrived here from Harmony this morning for a short visit with friends.

Wanted—500 people from La Crosse, to attend the Galesville fair, Wed. and Thurs. of next week. Special train returning.

James Wartines, formerly in the C. B. & Q. general offices here, now the chief clerk for the Northern Pacific railroad at Pasco, Wash., who has been visiting his parents and friends here for some time, returns to Washington tonight.

Go to the Galesville fair, Aug. 30 and 31. Leave La Crosse at noon. Return at night.

H. G. Clayton of Sparta is in the city today on business.

B. W. Scott arrived here from Prairie du Chien this morning to remain here a few days.

The Galesville fair is the one event you must not miss. Aug. 30 and 31. Special train service.

S. J. Low of Winona is a business caller in the city for a few days.

A. M. Enger of Lanesboro is calling on friends here for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown will leave Monday night for Portland and Seattle on a visit.

Don't miss the Galesville fair, Aug. 30 and 31. Your friends will all be there.

Mr. Harry Klopfenstein, manager of the local branch of the United Cigar Store company, will leave tonight for Chicago for a few days' visit with friends after which he will spend a week visiting relatives and friends in several Indiana cities.

Mrs. Albert Spellum has returned from a week's visit with relatives at Westby.

Special train service to and from the Galesville fair, Aug. 30 and 31. Oscar Paulson of this city has been at Westby for a visit with his aunt, Mrs. O. T. Paulson, and family.

WILL WORK FOR CHILD WELFARE

Industrial Commission Plans to Cooperate With School Officials And Parents

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 26.—(Special.)—In outlining its policy in the administration of laws relating to compulsory school attendance, the industrial commission intends to cooperate with parents, teachers and school authorities in enforcing the law. Speaking of this phase of the commission's duties, Taylor Frye, deputy in charge of the division of child labor, truancy and woman's labor, said today:

"The last legislature placed a part of the responsibility for the enforcement of these laws upon the newly created industrial commission. It is the commission's desire to extend assistance in every possible way to the end that every child in Wisconsin shall have at least that elementary education for which our laws so liberally provide and upon which the future welfare of the state and society as a whole so largely depends."

"The law of this state requires that all children between the age of seven and fourteen, not physically or mentally incapacitated, shall attend school as follows: In Milwaukee, the entire school year; in other cities for eight months; in towns, and villages, for six months. The law further provides that children between the ages of fourteen and sixteen who are not regularly and lawfully employed, shall attend school in like manner."

"Statistics show that there are more than 100,000 illiterates in Wisconsin and the records show that during the year 1909-10 more than 24,000 children between the ages of seven and fourteen failed to attend school the required length of time in this state. These conditions should not continue. Popular government has for its foundation the virtue and intelligence of its people. The educational movement is nation wide. Child labor laws constantly are being made more strict, because it is realized that it is better for the child to be in school than at work."

"It is the desire of the industrial commission to co-operate with parents, teachers, school officers and citizens generally in the better enforcement of the compulsory school attendance laws in Wisconsin."

LAD HAS A REAL GRIEVANCE

New Baby Sister Deprives Him of Attention, And He Shows the Effects.

Since the stork brought a little girl to a family living in the Bronx the heir, who had attained to four years of dignity before the sister came, has had his nose very much out of joint. His mother, in fact, found trouble at times in keeping him from poking out the eyes of the intruder and otherwise exhibiting the innate cruelty of the boy-child. Vigorous spankings thoroughly repressed this tendency, and it has now given way to a generally silent acquiescence in the new order.

Yet at times the feeling of deprivation of old-time attention will come to the surface. Then the boy will take himself to the darkest corner to be found in the flat, push himself closely up against the wall and begin to whimper in low tones. Soon the whimper becomes more apparent. Then from out of the darkness comes the low plaint:

"Muvver don't like me."

There is a cessation of the whimper for a moment; then it begins on a more emphatic scale and again comes in louder tones:

"Muvver don't like me."

From this the protest goes into sobbing, and finally it comes to a climax in most heart-breaking tones:

"Muvver don't like me."

This is the time for the head of the household to intervene, for she has learned by experience that whatever she might say before the psychological moment is ignored. In the softest tones she answers:

"Yes, dearie, mother does like you. She loves you with all her heart."

From out of the darkness comes in a great, indignant cry:

"I don't want you to."

Despairing sobbing follows, but it goes down as the musical patrol dies away, and finally a very penitent little boy comes out of the corner and plucks at his mother's skirt, looking for attention.

When a woman flings anything at a man, from chinaware to sarcasm, it doesn't hit his conscience, but his vanity.

Gladys and Mrs. Fred Guenther have returned to their home at Mound Prairie, Minn., after spending a week with friends and relatives in Bangor, Wis.

Dance tonight at Linker hall. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Krueger and Mrs. Anna Kabat of 942 Winnebago street left this noon for Reedsburg, Wis.

SOCIETY

AUTO TOURISTS

Mrs. F. Voigtman, Leslie Voigtman, W. B. Hough, Miss P. Feyerson and Miss A. Feyerson made up an automobile party on a tour from Chicago to Superior. The party stopped in La Crosse yesterday afternoon and left the city this morning at 10 o'clock. Although they have been gone from Chicago but a week, the party has already been at Superior and they are now on their way back to Chicago. The return trip will be made by way of Minnesota and Iowa and from thence to Chicago.

HARD TIMES PARTY

Miss Florence Sorensen entertained the Wisconsin Telephone operators at a hard times party, at her home on 127 north Seventh street, Friday evening. The evening was spent in music and games, with a supper at midnight. Those present were: The Misses Nettie Williams, Della Netwall, Ida Heike, Winnifred Conway, Meta Mooves, Helen Gush, Ida Roensen, Clara Schults, Gussie Witzkie, Meta Gaede, Helen Gallagher, Byrl Pomeroy, Bernice Kely and Florence Sorensen.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Miss Edna Tarbox was pleasantly surprised by several of her friends upon the occasion of her birthday. The guests were Mrs. Charles Botsford, Mrs. Mildred Carr, Mrs. Horace Holley, Blanche Holcomb, Beatrice Leisring, Cora Schulz and Bertha Lawrence.

ENTERTAINS AT COFFEE

Mrs. A. M. Northam entertained about twenty-five ladies at a coffee this afternoon at the residence of Mr. F. P. Hixon.

Mrs. George Marvin, Jr., entertained a few ladies yesterday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. Colvin, of White Plains, N. Y.

THEATER PARTY

Mrs. Thwing entertained a quartette of young ladies at a theater party at the Majestic for her niece Cecil McCaffery of Preston, Minn. Other guests were Miss Grace Stockwell, of Aurora, Ill., Miss Laura Kinneer and Miss May Marvin.

DANCING AT COUNTRY CLUB

The dance last evening at the Country club by Mrs. Jessie Holway in honor of her guest, Miss Hutton was a delightful and pleasant affair. The evening was cool making the dancing agreeable and pleasant. There was a large number in attendance.

BIRTHDAY

Miss Bess Argall entertained Thursday in honor of her birthday. The guests brought their sewing until dinner time. Those present were the Misses Lenora and Kathryn Erickson, Carmel Young, Norma Partridge, Mildred Eberhart, Irene Phillips, Wohlhutter, Bess and Grace Argall.

SURPRISE PARTY

Albert Buchman was very pleasantly surprised by friends and relatives at his house 1020 Jackson street Wednesday evening, in honor of his birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hanlin, Peter Hoffman, Leo Boldt, Jr., Rudie Jung, Richard Boldt, Albert Major, Harry Hudson, August Friemark, Louis Riebold, Harry Willigan, Albert Buchman, Mr. Leo Boldt, Sr., Mrs. Augusta Buchman, Miss Mamie Riebold, G. Buchman and Eleanor Hanlin. The fore part of the evening was spent in music and games. Prizes were taken by Mrs. Albert Major and Mrs. Rudie Jung, Mr. Friemark and Harry Willigan. The consolation prizes were taken by Mrs. Leo Boldt and Mr. Richard Boldt. Lunch was served at 10:30. After supper dancing was indulged in, among which was the Kangaroo dance and the chicken walk. Mr. Louis Riebold, Rudie Jung and Harry Hudson honored the crowd with a clog dance, and Albert Buchman entertained them with a dog dance. Music being furnished by Boldt and Riebold.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Skaar and family returned yesterday from an eighteen months' stay in Christiana, Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Jackwitz and daughter of Milwaukee will arrive in La Crosse the latter part of next week. Mr. and Mrs. Jackwitz formerly were residents of this city and are parents of Mrs. A. Bellerue. Mr. Jackwitz was connected with the construction department of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road in Milwaukee. Miss Jackwitz will open a studio here and give instructions in vocal and instrumental music.

Little Miss Emma Miller of 533 Avon street, will leave tonight for Chicago for a week's visit with friends.

Miss Neva Wilson of Wyckoff, Minn., is the guest of Miss Frances Ballam.

Mrs. B. S. Livermore, who is spending a few days with her La Crosse friends, was entertained at the home of Mrs. A. R. Nelson Thursday.

Mrs. Elsie Gile Scott left this morning for Billings, Mont., where she will spend a few weeks with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Scott.

Miss Dorothy Usher, who has been spending a few weeks at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. H. P. Bliss, has returned to her home at Milwaukee.

The marriage of Miss Bessie Margaret Hutchins of Pittsville, Wis., to Mr. Ervin A. Peart, took place in that city Thursday, Aug. 24. Mr. Peart is the manual training teacher of the La Crosse public schools.

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Mrs. T. Clements gave a coffee on Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. T. Albert Lea and Mrs. R. J. Trenary of La Salle, Ill., and Lizzie White.

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In the Churches

First German Methodist Church.
First German Methodist church, Sunday school, 9:15 a. m. C. E. Schaefer, superintendent. Public worship with preaching by the pastor, 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Epworth league devotional meeting, 7 p. m. Prayer and praise service Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.

First Congregational.
First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets, Henry Faville, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30; preaching by the pastor. Theme, "Keeping Little Ones from Perishing." No evening service. Rally day for the Bible school a week from today. Communion next Sabbath morning.

First Baptist church.
First Baptist church, Sunday school at 9:30 and morning service at 10:30. Young People's meeting at 7 p. m. Evening service at 7:30. Miss Anna Nelson of the Baptist seminary for colored women at Selma, Ala., will speak at the morning service. Sunday school at Colton Mission, corner Fifteenth and Winnebago streets, at 3 o'clock.

West Ave. M. E. Church.
West Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, corner Seventh and Twelfth streets, Oscar Smith, minister. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Subject of morning discourse, "Hearing the Word." Evening, "Doing the Word." An excellent program of special music is being prepared by the choir for both services. This is the last appearance of the Wesley Male Quartet before their departure from the city. The special music is as follows: Morning: "The Lord's Own Day," (C. Kreutzer) Wesley Male quartet; "The Lord is My Shepherd," (Bridgman) Wesley Male quartet; "Hark, Hark, My Soul," (Shelley) choir. Evening: "I Heard a Voice," (Hawley) Wesley Male quartet; "Content," (Parks) Wesley Male quartet; "There is Joy in the Presence," (P. J. Hilsley) choir.

First Methodist Episcopal.
First Methodist Episcopal church, King and Eighth streets, Rev. Louis Magin, pastor. 9:30 a. m., Sunday school, A. C. Bangsberg, superintendent; 10:30 a. m., morning worship, sermon by the pastor. Duet by Mrs. Watkins and Miss Trane; 12 m., class meeting, Mr. Steadwell, leader; 6:45 p. m., Epworth league devotional meeting, Mr. Steadwell, leader; 7:45 p. m., evening gospel service, sermon by the pastor. Violin solo by Wilber Holcomb. Also alto solo by Mrs. Watkins with violin accompaniment.

St. Paul's Universalist.
St. Paul's Universalist church, George R. Longbrake, minister. No services until first Sunday in September.

City Mission.
City Mission, 117 North Third street, D. C. Dewey, superintendent.—Sunday schools and Bible class 3 p. m.; prayer service, 8 p. m.; street service at 9 p. m., corner of Fifth and Main streets. Services every night 8 p. m. Different speaker each night. "No Creed but Christ, No Law but Love."—All welcome.

Norwegian Lutheran.
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Emanuel Church, Evangelical association, corner West avenue and Vine street. Morning service; Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; preaching, 10:30; Y. P. U. meeting, 6:45 p. m.; preaching, 7:30 p. m. An invitation to all. H. E. Umbreit.

Christ Episcopal church, Rev. C. N. Moller, rector. Sermon at 10:45.

First Church of Christ Scientist.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, King street, between Fifth and Sixth. Sunday service at 10:30 a. m. Subject, "Christ Jesus." Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 7:45. Free reading room open each week day from 2 to 5 in the church.

Spiritualist Church.
Spiritual church meets at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McFarlin, 618 King street, on Sunday evening. Services begin at 8 o'clock. The subject of the sermon will be "The Home and Life of the So-called Dead." The public is cordially invited. There will be no midweek seance on Thursday as Mrs. McFarlin will be out of the city for two weeks.

German Baptist.
German Baptist church, corner Seventh and Winnebago streets.—E. Berger, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Sunday morning service, at 10:45; evening service, at 7:45. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Tuesday and Friday morning from 9 to 11 a. m. instruction in German. The Woman's Baptist Missionary union will be held in the German Baptist church corner of Seventh and Winnebago streets. Friday afternoon September 1st, at three o'clock, Mrs. Stewart, field worker for Wisconsin will be present and will speak. This is the annual election of officers and the ladies are urged to be present.

West Ave. Lutheran.
Services as usual. Rev. Anderson is on his vacation but Rev. Braathen, Minneapolis, will fill the pulpit.

First Presbyterian Church.
First Presbyterian church, corner King and Sixth streets, D. C. Jones, pastor. Morning service, 10:30; Sunday school, 12 m.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30.

English Lutheran.
English Evangelical Lutheran church of the Holy Trinity, West Ave. and Ferry streets. Rev. W. P. Christy, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; church service, 10:45 a. m. Woman's Missionary society at Mrs. Loeffler's, 1401 Ferry street Thursday at 2:30 p. m.

Norwegian-Danish M. E. Church.
Norwegian Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Fifteenth and Winnebago streets, I. T. Slaatto, pastor. Epworth League devotional meeting at 7:15. Evening service, preaching by the pastor. Midweek prayer meet and praise service every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All cordially invited to the meetings.

Reformed Church.
Reformed church, corner Fourth and Market streets, Rev. F. W. Lemke, pastor. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:15 a. m. Morning service at 10:30 a. m.

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LA CROSSE WOMAN WINS 1ST FLIGHT

Mrs. C. J. Felber Defeats Opponents in Finals;
Mrs. Whitcomb Takes the Title

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 26.—The ladies' state golf championship title was won on Friday by Mrs. E. R. Whitcomb, who defeated Miss Jessie Thayer of the Blue Mound Country club in the finals of the championship flight in the tournament held at the Blue Mound club, 3 up and 2 to play.

Mrs. C. J. Felber of La Crosse won the first flight and Mrs. E. B. Tower was the runner up. The second flight was won by Mrs. J. S. Lawson of the Blue Mound club, who defeated Mrs. Koehe of Sheboygan, 1 up, in the finals of that flight. Mrs. C. J. Carroll was the winner of the third flight and Mrs. Lindow was the runner up.

Miss Becker of the Sheboygan Country club was the winner of the first prize in the approaching contest. Miss Alice Iwell of the Blue Mound Country club won the playoff for the second prize.

Battle on at Madison.
MADISON, Wis., Aug. 26.—The Madison golfers showed a decided change of form over their last contest for the Brittingham-Hixon cup, at La Crosse last Saturday, when the second match for the trophy was started this afternoon, and a lively battle is being waged for the 1911 title.

All of the members of the La Crosse club arrived here this morning and the clubs are each represented by twenty-three players.

THE WEEK FINANCIAL

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NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—Stock exchange prices closed below yesterday's closing and in the early trading sold down somewhat rapidly with declines of nearly a point in the more active stocks. In the second hour, however, all of the loss was recovered. The news from the western railway labor controversy was not favorable but the unions did all the talking. Routine financing news was rather surprisingly encouraging. The fortnightly "idle car statement" showed a decrease of 24,000 cars in side tracked railway equipment during the first half of August. Returns of the country's bank clearings showed up better than a year ago and the weekly mercantile reviews from the trade publications were by no means pessimistic.

With a plain request for yes or no by the railway shippers and a plain declaration by France that Germany must reduce its compensatory demands in the Morocco matter, we shall at all events know in a very few days just where we stand.

REGULARS TAKE PLACE OF FUSSERS

The Imperials won from the Cubs yesterday with apparent ease. The Cubs could not touch Weigel, who was at his best. The final count was 9 to 1.

The Colts, strengthened their on second place by defeating the Regulars in one of the cleanest games of the season. Score, 4 to 1.

The Regulars are a new team taking the place and percentage of the Fussers, who disbanded.

Upon the defeat of the Regulars by the Colts and by defeating the Badgers in a one-sided game, the Pirates jumped from fifth to a tie for third place in the percentage column.

Score, Pirates 9, Badgers 1.			
Standing of the Teams			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Imperials	9	1	.900
W. A. Colts	6	3	.667
Regulars	4	6	.400
Pirates	4	6	.400
Cubs	3	6	.333
Badgers	3	7	.300

OLD SETTLER DIES AT EIGHTY-THREE

John Richmond, 83 years, died at his home, 1823 Kane street this morning of complications. Mr. Richmond was one of the earliest settlers of this city. The funeral arrangements have not yet been complete.

Correct Jewelry

Society's commandment for correct jewelry is not less rigid than the laws of the ancient Medes and Persians. Distinctiveness in appearance is not, as the smart man or woman is aware, the result of extravagant clothes. Rather it is the expression of refined taste in the small appointments of one's toilette. Correct jewelry, correctly chosen and correctly worn, has very much to do with the matter.

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ROADS AND LABOR SAVING STRENGTH FOR "SHOW DOWN"

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held next Thursday. He says unless something comes of this conference he will not be able to keep the men from striking another day.

All Roads Preparing
NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—A general strike of railway shop men in the west not alone on the Harriman lines but on nearly all of the big systems, is a possibility for which the officers and directors of the roads maintaining headquarters here are preparing. The big employment agencies which make a specialty of furnishing strike breakers have reported the number of men they can furnish on telegraphic notice.

Every person in authority on the railroads has been instructed not to discuss the situation in public. It is learned, however, that the companies fear the federation and intend if possible to crush it before it is extended to include the operating forces.

The fact that the American Federation of Labor planned the system federation so that it would include all men employed on the railroads in every capacity alarmed the big financiers at the head of the systems and the word is said to weed out, in a general laying off process all of the leaders of the movement. This order is of course denied by the railroads, is believed here to have started the trouble on the Harriman lines.

Strike Breakers Waiting.
The big force of strike breakers used to break the strike of the boiler makers on the New York Central and Lake Shore system recently is ready to be sent west. These men recruited by three firms of private detectives here and it was said today that all of them have been kept under pay since they were let out by the New York Central and could be laid down at any given spot within five days.

Judge Lovett, president of the Union Pacific, and his board of directors have been in constant touch with Julius Kruttschnitt, vice president of the Harriman lines, who is handling the situation in the west. Kruttschnitt's action in forcing the issue by telling the men that recognition of the system federation could not be granted, was taken on telegraphed authority from the directors here. The Harriman lines, it is said here, have been quietly repairing all rolling stock for months until today they are in shape to operate for three months without having to depend on the repair shops in any way.

Would Force Show Down.
Wall street is certain that there is a general understanding among all of the big financiers that if possible, a "show down" should be forced at once with the unions. If the conflict was delayed long, the big moneyed men believed the unions would be so strongly organized they could not be crushed. A fight now, it was claimed, would place the railroads in the position of vantage and a victory would end the plan to federate all of the railroad unions. This whole situation was put up to J. P. Morgan, Wall street believes immediately on his return from Europe and he is said to have merely declared that "the railroads are not making enough for the stockholders now and cannot afford any more money for the men."

COP HONORED; MORGAN TOO

BERLIN, Aug. 26.—The kaiser has sent to Superintendent Wells of the London police that guarded his majesty while in England, the Order of the Red Garter. It looks just like the one J. P. Morgan got.

BABY IS GOOD TRAVELER

DUBLIN, Aug. 26.—Johnny Starkey, aged 2½ years, has arrived safe at the home of his grandfather, Michael Fitzgibbons in Tipperary, having traveled unaccompanied from Boston.

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HOLE IN RAIL IS CAUSE OF WRECK

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er personal belongings which will aid in establishing who they are.

Ten of the most seriously hurt are in the Thompson Memorial hospital in Canandaigua. Five are residents of Philadelphia, George Irving, Mrs. George Irving and their son, John; Miss Amanda Williams and Miss Sarah Williams. They will recover. Mrs. H. E. Smith, wife of a Lehigh engineer, living in Rochester was reported dying today. Her skull is fractured.

Two victims died in Rochester hospitals during the night. They were an unidentified woman about 40, dark complexioned, hair tinged with gray, wedding ring inscribed "E. H. H. to E. F. W." and W. P. Rundle of Easton Pa.

Worst Spot on Road

The spot where the disaster occurred was the worst on the entire road. Had it occurred 100 feet in either direction the precipitous plunge from the trestle would not have taken place and the cars would not have been so badly crushed. That all of the cars behind the diner nine in number did not go over was due to the cool headedness of a G. A. R. veteran who pulled the emergency brake as he heard the crash. This held five of the cars on the rails.

The train was running only between 25 and 30 miles an hour when the crash took place, having slowed up to go through the Manchester yards. The locomotives were of the heaviest Mogul type and were being let out to get high speed in the hope of "picking up some time" and the officers are inclined to believe today it was their pounding that split the rail.

Commission to Probe
WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—The first information of the fatal wreck on the Lehigh Valley railroad near Manchester, N. Y., reached the interstate commerce commission over the wires of the United Press and the commission immediately ordered an investigation.

It rushed efficient safety appliance inspectors to the scene by the first train and their detailed report will be presented the commission next week.

Under a recent order the railroad must also make an official report by telegraph to the commission but had not done so up to noon today.

Rail Breaks to Pieces
ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 26.—The official reports of the inspectors of the state public service commission who investigated the Manchester wreck on the Lehigh Valley railroad, received today, say it was caused by a "defectively constructed rail" breaking. The rail crumbled into seventeen pieces under the strain. The inspectors say that up to this morning twenty-five deaths were officially recorded and sixty-eight injured, of whom thirty-seven are in the hospital. Of the latter six or seven will die.

The broken rail is retained by the commission which will determine if the defect was due to carelessness in forging. The inspectors say the car in which most of the deaths occurred was modern with full vestibules and steel platforms but that "it folded up like a jack knife."

DENIES FAILING TO FUMIGATE

D. E. Law, French Island, today took exception to the claim of the health department that one family, one of the members of which was infected with tuberculosis, moved from a house and allowed another to move in without fumigating.

"I am the man in the case," said Mr. Law today, "and want to state that I never lived in the house until one night I was compelled to take refuge there owing to the stench raised by a bunch of scavengers."

"I am now living on French Island and enjoying good health. The family that took our house was particularly anxious to get in quick and we moved in a hurry to allow them to move in. Then some busy body in the neighborhood scared the woman to death by peddling a story that I was dying with tuberculosis."

HARVEST AFTER 60 YEARS

SAYBROOK, Conn., Aug. 26.—Sixty years ago Jonas Pendleton vowed never to shave until a bridge spanned the Connecticut river here. The entire town witnessed the bridge opening; then saw Pendleton's flowing beard mowed.

500 BURIED IN RUINS BY FALL OF GRAND STAND

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on the course removing the injured. Among the hurt was Mrs. Ray Graham, daughter of U. S. Senator Wm. Lorimer, and daughter-in-law of Senator Graham, former mayoralty candidate of Chicago. Mrs. Robert Noble of Elgin received injuries which it was feared would cause death.

Among the other injured were W. Norton of Milwaukee; Miss Mary Coleman, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Ad Hamilton, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Fred McNally of Chicago; John Delancey of Elgin, who sustained a fractured skull, broken leg and ribs.

It is reported Mrs. Graham's injuries were serious. She was placed in a private automobile and rushed to a field hospital.

100,000 in Crowds

One hundred thousand persons had gathered around the Elgin cup course for the biggest automobile famous Elgin National trophy for stock cars of under 600 inches displacement.

Conditions were ideal for record breaking time when Starter Fred Wagner lined up the ten great racing cars for the western Vanderbilt.

The two Cino cars had been scratched, owing to the injuries sustained by John Rainey and the withdrawal of Andy Burt. The greatest racers of America were there. Harry Grant, winner of two successive Vanderbilts, was the first one to go away in the 1909 Alco in which he won the great eastern events. Back a little further was Spencer Wishart, the young Long Island millionaire, whose daring driving in previous events had stamped him one of the greatest drivers. There also with hands on steering wheels were Hughie Hughes, Ralph de Palma, Ralph Mulford and other great drivers.

Yesterday's crowd was but a mark for the great throng that packed about the 8½ mile course today. Nearly 20,000 automobiles were parked along the course. The grand stand was jammed.

2,000 Hurled to Ground
The collapse of the grand stand came after a second's warning, but too quick for the great throng gathered there to flee for safety. The first car to complete the first lap of the race was just coming into sight over the hill at the western end of the course. It was Harry Grant in his Alco, the first man away in the big race. The crowd rose to its feet with a cheer as the big car hurtled by. There was an ominous roar as the flimsy structure began to give way.

Like a house of cards it fell section by section until six long sections had given away. Two thousand persons occupied seats in the collapsed stand which was built of the flimsiest matter, rising from the ground to a height of fifteen feet in the air. Every person was hurled to the ground. The second and third cars were just showing in sight over the rise. From every section of the stands thousands jammed their way on the track, fighting their way past soldier and deputy guards. Into their midst dashed the racers at thrilling speed.

How the cool drivers kept from killing scores of people no one can tell.

Taking his life in his hands, Starter Fred Wagner seized the great yellow flag and dashed onto the track, flagging the flying racers to a stop. While automobile ambulances came back and forth carrying away the few seriously injured and the many slightly hurt, the racers were lined up again on the starting line and the race resumed, Harry Grant in his Alco being the first away in the second start of the race at 11:45.

That the drivers expected to make the race one of record breaking speed was indicated by the first lap which the leaders covered at a rate of 68 miles an hour.

Card of Thanks

We, the undersigned, wish to extend our sincere and heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the death of our mother.

We especially wish to thank Rev. Rice and choir. We also wish to thank for the many beautiful floral offerings.

James Larson and wife; Oscar Larson and wife; Oscar Larson, Morris Larson, Andy Larson, Emma Larson, Ida Larson.

Mrs. Wm. Schmidt, 1318 George street, left this morning for a visit with relatives and friends at Viroqua.

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T. R. BACKS WILSON?

EULOGY OF NEW JERSEY GOVERNOR IN MAGAZINE TO WHICH ROOSEVELT IS CONTRIBUTOR

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—The Outlook, of which Theodore Roosevelt is contributing editor, will print in its current edition an eulogy of Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey from the pen of Henry B. Needham, who, when Colonel Roosevelt was president, ranked as one of the official press agents of the administration.

New York politicians are wondering today if there is a political significance to this fact.

Colonel Roosevelt, since the defeat of his candidate for governor at the last election, Henry L. Stimson, now a member of President Taft's official family, has refused to take any part in republican politics in this state. The man whom he most bitterly denounced at Saratoga, William Barnes, Jr., is now chairman of the republican state committee and he and his friends made it plain that if Roosevelt wanted to go to the next national convention of the party that elected him president he will personally have to ask for that honor. Friends of Wilson are very much encouraged that he has "broken into" the magazine through which Colonel Roosevelt now reflects his opinions to the public. They believe it indicates that Roosevelt would not fight Wilson, proclaimed as a real progressive, should he get the democratic presidential nomination in this manner. Wilson men say, he would gain progressive strength in all of the western states, should the republican or-

HE BIT

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Wm. Dennis, 83, met a clairvoyant at a county fair at Roscoe, Wis. She smiled prettily and said yes and they came here to be married. William let her carry \$3,000—and hasn't seen her since.

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J. O. Turner, Onalaska, deaf for years, says he is much improved after four treatments.

C. P. Thompson, 915 Rose street, La Crosse, says he hears better, after only one treatment.

William Webb, 415 South Fifth St., La Crosse, whose home is in Trempealeau, paralyzed for fourteen years, is much better after five weeks treatment.

Mrs. U. G. Reed, 1013 Vine St., La Crosse, confined to the bed with rheumatism for three years, after one month's treatment, can walk to the office.

Willis Loomis, 810 Mill St., La Crosse, had to stop work because of pain in muscles of the neck and back, was able to resume his work after three treatments.

John Zimsky, 920 Adams St., La Crosse, had inflammation of the gall bladder and was constantly vomiting, cured in four treatments.

Mrs. E. Christianson, 1231 Redfield St., La Crosse, was losing flesh and strength very rapidly, and after three weeks' treatment is feeling better than for the last four years.

The Electro-Radial Institute is located at 213 S. Fifth St., and free consultations can be had any day between the hours of 9 a. m. and 9 p. m., Sunday, 9 a. m. until 1 p. m.

NORTHWEST NEWS

PINCHOT STARTS THE BALL ROLLING

Minneapolis Banquet Will Open Campaign for La Follette and Insurgency in Minnesota

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 26.—Gifford Pinchot will reach St. Paul on Monday evening on his way to Alaska.

Mr. Pinchot has written Hugh T. Halbert that he will arrive late Monday, and will stop at The Saint-Paul hotel. He will leave Tuesday morning for the coast and continue to Alaska. It is presumed by St. Paul progressives that he goes largely to meet Secretary of the Interior Fisher, who is in the territory investigating conditions surrounding the Controllor Bay claims.

Mr. Halbert has invited a number of prominent progressives of Minnesota and surrounding states to attend an informal smoker that will be given in the Saint Paul Monday evening in honor of Mr. Pinchot. The progressives plan to make this the first of a series of meetings in the interests of their cause.

September 7 they intend to have a banquet in Minneapolis, to which Senator Cummings of Iowa, Governor McGovern of Wisconsin and former Senator Beveridge of Indiana have been invited. Senator Clapp also has been invited, but probably will not attend on account of his visit to California. The progressives expect this affair to mark the beginning of state wide movement in the interest of Senator La Follette, progressive candidate for the republican nomination for president.

BERRY PICKERS FIND BODY

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 26.—The badly decomposed remains of Mrs. Jessie Moore, an attractive young widow, who disappeared mysteriously early in July, just prior to the date set for her wedding, were found in the rear of Columbia gardens, a pleasure resort east of Butte. The body was stumbled upon by several berry pickers and was in such an advanced stage of decomposition that the authorities are at a loss to determine whether murder or suicide was committed.

BOY SCOUTS DISCOVER CAVE

DES MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 26.—Boy Scouts camping a few miles northwest of Manchester discovered a deep cave and made explorations, which have caused no small amount of excitement. They had to remove a quantity of rock in front of the main entrance before they could gain admittance. The cave contains 14 caverns, each large enough to accommodate six or eight persons at a time.

WISCONSIN STATE NEWS

WILLIAM FRANZEN DIES AT OKAUCHEE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 26.—William Franzen, president of the corporation of William Franzen & Son, which operates a large glass works in the Kinnickinnic Valley, who built up a fortune in the waste paper business, died early Friday morning in his summer home on Oconomowoc lake, aged 61 years.

Mr. Franzen's death was due to a stroke of apoplexy. After an adventurous career he gave up his work about four years ago. For the last year he had been ailing and his condition was serious for about three months.

Mr. Franzen is survived by his son, William R. Franzen, and three daughters. They are Mrs. Edward Dahinden, Mrs. O. E. Koehle and Mrs. Edward C. Devlin. Mrs. Franzen died on January 13.

Funeral services will be held in the home at Okauchee station and the remains will be brought to Milwaukee for interment in Calvary cemetery, probably Monday morning.

HORSES' KICKS KILL TWO

GREEN BAY, Wis., Aug. 26.—Frank Rose, aged 14, son of a Manitowoc couple, who was kicked in the abdomen by a horse at East Wrightstown, Brown county, died in a hospital on Friday.

BLACK EARTH, Wis., Aug. 26.—Violet Campbell, aged 10, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell, was kicked in the head by a horse and died.

WILL RECEIVE CHINESE

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 26.—Chinese students from all over the United States will be guests at a reception to be given by Governor McGovern on September 2. The function will be a part of the program of the Chinese students' conference at the university on September 1 to 8.

LOCKNEY TO STUMP

WAUKESHA, Wis., Aug. 26.—Former Senator Henry Lockney has just accepted an invitation from U. S. Senator Robert M. La Follette to do campaign speaking and organization work in the western states in the interests of the "progressive" faction of the republican party.

FAIL KILLS GARDENER

GREEN BAY, Wis., Aug. 26.—Louis Ziese, aged 68, a gardener of Preble, is dead as a result of falling on a cement sidewalk and fracturing his skull.

SEVEN DIE IN MINE

OIL BARREL EXPLOSION IN SHAFT CAUSING TRAGEDY AT ELY, MINN. 3 BADLY HURT

ELY, Minn., Aug. 26.—Seven men met death and three others were seriously injured early yesterday in the fire which swept the new five compartment shaft of the Giroux Consolidated Mines company here. Two bodies remained in the mine workings, but there is no hope that the men may be found alive. Both shafts of the mine have been sealed in order to smother the flames.

The fire was caused, it is believed, by the explosion of a barrel of oil at the pumping station on the 1,200 foot level of the new shaft. Ten men were working at the 1,400 foot level at the time and these looked up to see the shaft above them filled with flames.

WOULD RULE OUT ROAD'S EVIDENCE

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 26.—Attorney General Simpson sprung a surprise on the railroads yesterday at the express rate hearing, when he moved that all the testimony submitted by the St. Paul road be stricken from the records. The hearing before the Railroad and Warehouse commission into the reasonableness of express rates was adjourned several weeks ago to give the St. Paul road time to produce a competent witness. The state declared that the figures introduced by E. C. Taylor, the road's expert, were not competent because he did not know where the basic figures had come from upon which he made his computations. His figures disagreed materially from those of C. W. Hillman, the state's expert, showing that it cost the road twice as much to handle the express business as Mr. Hillman showed.

William Ellis, commerce attorney for the St. Paul road, promised to have a witness to prove the competency of Mr. Taylor. The commission waited for the witnesses of the St. Paul road to show up, but no one appeared.

The commission made no ruling on the motion, but a member stated that Mr. Taylor's testimony would be allowed to stand for what it was worth. It is likely, however, that the St. Paul road will not appear again and it is considered that the state has won a victory in showing the profit which the railroads enjoy out of the contract with the express companies.

BODY FOUND IN FIELD

ATLEY, Minn., Aug. 26.—The mystery which has surrounded the disappearance of Mrs. Numbers, 70 years old, was cleared yesterday when harvesters found the body of the woman in a field.

M'GOVERN SETS SEPT. 4th AS LABOR DAY

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 26.—In a proclamation in which he upheld the dignity of labor, Governor McGovern on Friday designated September 4 as Labor day. His proclamation was as follows:

"Labor is the only true alchemy. The laborer alone really transmutes base metals into gold by giving value to things before found worthless. Labor on the farm, in the mills and in the forest adds to the sum of raw materials adapted to man's use. Labor in the shop, factory and mill fits products thus wrested from stubborn nature to practical ends and the satisfaction of human wants. The laborer, therefore, is the real creator of wealth; though at times others may be custodians of it, charged with the duty of using it for the preservation of the common good.

"To the end that our people may unite in showing proper respect for the dignity of labor and do honor to him who toils, I, Francis E. McGovern, governor of the state of Wisconsin, do hereby designate Monday, the 4th of September, 1911, as Labor day, and I earnestly recommend that so far as possible, work shall be suspended on this day in order that citizens everywhere may join as laborers with organizations of workmen in making it a day of recreation, pleasure and profitable discussion of social questions."

JUMP'S ON SHARP STAKE

MAIDEN ROCK, Wis., Aug. 26.—Jumping from the separator of a threshing machine on Friday, David Hoffman, aged 19, struck a sharp stake which entered his body and broke off. He probably will die.

NATURAL NOUVEAU



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PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

The finals in the Riverside club's annual tennis tournament were witnessed by a large number of spectators Thursday, the courts presenting a scene of busy tennis activity all day.

The final championship doubles played by Dousman and Peacock of Prairie du Chien against H. Larsen and Baker of Decorah, Iowa, were the chief event of the day, and gave a fine exhibition of good tennis.

The cups in the various contests were awarded as follows:

Championship singles, H. Larsen, Decorah, Iowa.

Championship doubles, Larsen and Baker, Sr., Decorah, Iowa.

Runner-up singles—R. Hinckley, Milwaukee.

Runner-up doubles, Dousman and Peacock, Prairie du Chien.

Consolation singles, Mr. Seymour, Clear Lake, Iowa.

Consolation doubles, R. Alger and Baker, Jr., Decorah, Iowa.

The tournament was, as expected, the most successful and largely attended ever held here. Nearly every player signified his intention of returning next year.

On Tuesday evening a drive and picnic at the bluffs were given for the visitors. Wednesday evening the visiting players gave a dinner at the Dousman house, followed by a launch ride. Thursday evening the tournament ball was given at the Grand Opera hall.

Mr. Seymour, winner of the consolation singles cup, is instructor in athletics and physical director of the Iowa State Teachers' college at Clear Lake.

Among the civil service appointments made in the state service during the past week was that of T. M. Ward of Soldiers Grove as teacher guard at the Green Bay reformatory.

A special train will be run on the Kickapoo line leaving La Farge in the morning and returning in the evening for the 101 Ranch show here next Tuesday.

The Evangelical Sunday school annual picnic was held Wednesday in Mondell Coulee. On the same day the Congregational Sunday school had their outing in Campbell Coulee.

Rev. F. A. Troutman of the Evangelical church is in Monroe, Wis., in attendance upon a church convention.

Repairs are being made on the M. E. church which will prevent the holding of services there on Sunday. Union services will be held at 10:30 a. m. in the Evangelical church by Rev. H. Jennings, pastor of the Methodist church.

Mrs. Alexander Athey returned Wednesday from a short visit in Duluth and Hibbing, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Katherine, who has spent six weeks of her vacation with relatives there.

Mrs. C. C. Chase was called to La Crosse to be with the family of her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Nebel, who is in the hospital, recovering from serious injuries received in falling down a flight of stairs at her home, a few days ago.

Mrs. S. D. Dousman and little son are spending a few days in La Crosse.

Ms. George Ward of Soldiers Grove is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Henry Lindner.

Mrs. Fred Ehmann and little daughter of La Crosse are guests of Mrs. Will Howard and other friends here.

The Misses Stella and Rose Herold went to Brownstown, Wis., where the former was united in marriage with W. D. Carroll, formerly of this city.

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Dr. J. E. Cunnedy, 1428 Park Square, Sodalia, Mo. Reference: The National Red Cross, St. Louis, Mo. Could you do a better act than to send this notice to some poor sufferer of Eczema?

CHURCH NEWS

A CLARION CALL TO CHURCHES

The Rev. Dr. Henry Van Dyke of Princeton Seminary, former pastor of Brick Presbyterian church, New York, general assembly moderator and poet and author, calls out to the churches of America to act upon the so-called peace treaties. He appeals to organizations everywhere, Protestant and Catholic, small as well as big, to adopt strong resolutions, and to send them to President Taft and to the United States senate.

FORTY NEW SUMMER CONFERENCES

Reports from summer conferences, Bible, missionary, Catholic and Protestant, are to the effect that attendance has just about equalled last year, with growths in a few directions, but that people who have attended had rather more money to give than on some years recently, and have been much more willing to pledge personal work than formerly. This latter readiness is, however, almost wholly on the part of women, there being little change reported from the men.

Social service has been given unusual prominence in summer conference programs this year, and in a few instances conferences wholly given up to that subject have been held. Northfield, the well known conference established by the elder Moody and successfully kept alive by his son and nephew, has had the most successful year in its history, those when Dwight L. Moody himself was alive not excepted. Two new buildings are under construction, one for Mt. Hermon and one for the seminary—that is, one for boys and one for girls—and attendance at all conferences save one has broken all records.

METHODISTS HUNDRED THOUSAND AHEAD

The Methodist foreign mission board, representing the large Methodist body of the north, is \$101,000 ahead of the same time last year in its financial receipts. This is not, however, an exceptional gain, since it has several times, during the past decade, increased its annual receipts by that sum or a larger one. However, it is encouraged at this time because two years ago it fell into debt \$175,000. Last year it got out to the extent of \$70,000, but still had a debt at the beginning of this year of \$98,000.

The foreign board asks Methodists for \$1,500,000 and promised to the mission field this year \$1,114,000. Last year Methodists gave, through their regular board, \$1,425,000 to foreign missions, while Methodist women gave, through their own foreign board, \$705,000, a total of more than \$2,100,000. The women raise and spend money for missions, administering their affairs without turning money over, as in the case of most others, to the men's societies.

This year both home and foreign Methodist boards hold their annual meetings in Denver. The date of the meeting of the home board is November 10, and of the foreign November 16.

In order to be genuine, bona fide cynic a man must just have learned to shave, have known one chorus girl and have been turned down by a widow.

Mrs. Carroll will conduct a general store in Brownstown.

J. S. Armstrong is here this week from Madison, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Taylor.

Mrs. T. C. Gordon of Spokane is the guest of relatives here and in McGregor this week, returning from a trip through England and France with M. Gordon, who stopped in New York on business.

Mrs. L. Corneliuss and daughter, Miss Mamie, are visiting in Minneapolis.

Colonel Thompson has gone to Rockton, Vernon county, to spend a week with a school friend.

Mrs. A. N. Schoville is visiting relatives at Lynxville.

Roy Walker came out from Madison to witness the finals in the tennis tournament and attend the tourney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Huley and sons Roy and Clifford have returned from an eastern trip, including Niagara Falls and Buffalo, stopping in Chicago on their way home to see the aviation meet.

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DENY ENGAGEMENT

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—In a telegram to a friend in this city, Mrs. Grover Cleveland emphatically denied that her daughter, Esther, is engaged to wed a son of Dean West, of Princeton.

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"On July 27, 1909, we left Boston for a trip to England and Ireland, taking baby with us. After being in Ireland a few days a nasty rash came out all over his body. We took him to a doctor who said it was chicken pox, and gave us medicine for him. The trouble started in the form of a rash and was all over baby's body, head and face, at different times. It irritated, and he would scratch it with all his might. The consequence was it developed into sores, and we were afraid it would leave nasty scars on his face."

"When we reached England we took baby to another doctor, who said his condition was due to change of food and climate, and gave more medicine. The rash got no better, and it used to itch and burn at night so bad that the child could not sleep. He was completely covered with it at different times. It was at this time that my mother advised us to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. After using Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment for about nine months the places disappeared. There are not any scars, or other kind of disfigurement, and baby is completely cured by the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. We have had no further trouble with baby's skin. Nothing stopped the itching, and allowed baby to sleep but Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment." (Signed) Mrs. Margaret Gunn, 29 Burrell St., Roxbury, Boston, Mass., March 12, 1911.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold throughout the world. Send to Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Dept. 14A, Boston, for free sample of each with 32-p. book on the skin.

JOHN JOHNSON IS DEAD AT DRESBACH

John Johnson, aged 89 years, civil war veteran, and one of the pioneers of Dresbach, died at 11 o'clock yesterday morning on his farm near Dresbach, after an illness of nine months of dropsy. Johnson was born in Germany, May 23, 1822, and has been a resident of Dresbach since 1862. He is survived by three grandchildren and a stepson, John Carson. His grandchildren are John, Jr., Henry, and Minnie, all of whom live at Dresbach. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at Dresbach, at 1 o'clock at the farm, and 2 o'clock at the Methodist church, Rev. Baker of La Crosse, officiating. Burial will be made in the Dresbach cemetery.

HERING ELECTED HEAD OF EAGLES

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 26.—A count of the ballots cast by the Fraternal Order of Eagles candidates at last night's session, today showed that the "regular" slate was overwhelmingly elected, and that Cleveland will be the scene of next year's convention.

Frank Hering, South Bend, Ind., was elected grand worthy president.

Was Blacklisted.

In employment agencies it takes a blacklisted housekeeper many months to regain a reputation for humanity, no matter how sincere the reformation. For weeks one woman of bland countenance had traveled from agency to agency seeking a competent maid. Another woman to whom she had confided her troubles remarked to the agent that it was strange a woman apparently so amiable should find it so difficult to secure desirable help.

"It is the burglar alarm that quells her," he said. "She used to keep one on the icebox so the girl could not get a bite to eat before going to bed without waking the family. By the time she had changed servants a few times every other girl who frequents employment agencies knew the history of that alarm and couldn't be hired to work there. The woman has discarded the alarm, but her reputation sticks."

TAFT TO ATTEND ALTON CONVENTION

President Will Attend the Convention of Mississippi Valley Improvement Association

DATE IS NOT YET DECIDED

Date of Convention Not Yet Decided—Must Wait for President's Leisure Time

The Upper Mississippi River Improvement association makes the following communication relative to the convention to be held at Alton: To Members and All Others Interested.

President Taft has been invited to attend the next convention of the Upper Mississippi Improvement association, and address the delegates. The meeting will be held at the city of Alton, Illinois, in October, the date to be announced as soon as it can be definitely determined the day the president will be able to attend. It is expected this will be about October 4th or 5th, but is subject to change by the executive council in order that the day to be named by President Taft may be fixed as the date for holding the convention agreeable to his pleasure. Congressmen Rodenberg, Esch and McKinney, at the request of this association, called upon the president and extended him an invitation to be present at the Alton convention. The president has the subject under advisement and will determine in a short time if he will attend, when all will be advised.

The citizens of Alton are preparing to give the president and all delegates attending the convention a hearty welcome and make their stay a pleasant and profitable feature. The business to be transacted by the association justifies a large attendance of representatives from all cities and towns on the upper river. We wish to impress upon town and city councils the importance of having the mayor and other representatives from the councils of each place to attend this convention. The importance of the Mississippi river to all municipalities as such, and to their commercial interests, makes the matter one of deepest concern. The subjects discussed during the sessions of the association are always of great interest and relate to the welfare of all, hence local executive officers should become informed and be better prepared to act in their official capacity to serve their localities.

All associations representing the commercial interests at each place should be represented at the Alton convention. The purpose of this association is to bring about changes in transportation conditions now affecting the upper valley by permanently improving the Upper Mississippi river, which means a great deal to those who have capital employed and are dependent upon common carriers for rates and service in the handling or distributing of products and waters.

To the Press. The press in the upper valley has consistently supported this association in its work since the date of its organization. To that support in a large measure is due the great results the association has secured in the work of improving the river. We respectfully request its continuance and aid in behalf of the people in the upper valley.

Its assistance in bringing before the people the coming convention to be held at Alton, Illinois, and importance of sending delegates from all places on the upper river will be appreciated.

Call to Be Issued Soon. The call for the convention to be held at Alton, Illinois, will be issued at an early day, as soon as the executive council can determine definitely as to arrangements connected with the meeting. The expected visit of President Taft and other matters of great importance are at the present time receiving consideration by the executive council which, as soon as determined will enable us to notify all concerned.

PROGRESSIVES TO HOLD LOVE FEAST

Minnesotans Plan Demonstration to Celebrate Triumphs Over Taft's Administration

BOOST FOR MR. LA FOLLETTE

Dakotas Ready to Get in Line Behind Wisconsin Senator; Vetoes Help Cause

Minnesota progressives are planning a demonstration to celebrate the recent triumphs over the Taft administration and incidentally to drive a few more spikes in La Follette's fences in this neck of the woods. What form the gathering will take has not been decided definitely, but tentative plans were discussed at a luncheon in Minneapolis Wednesday. Each progressive voiced what he thought of the extra session of congress, and all were unanimous in saying that the most significant action to the progressives was the set-back given to the Taft machine by the union between progressives and democrats. They believe that the steam roller has lost its power and that the republican party will go down to defeat unless a progressive candidate is nominated at the next convention.

Clapp to Bring News. Senator Clapp will bring the inside news to the progressive camp and some kind of a reception, possibly during fair week, will be held. This time would be opportune, as a number of progressives will be in the city at that time. It is not known just when Senator Clapp will arrive in Minnesota, as he has a number of speaking dates.

The progressives hoped to procure La Follette for the demonstration, but the Wisconsin senator will remain in Washington, burrowing into official reports and department records for campaign material, and to obtain data for a series of magazine articles which he proposes to write relating his struggle against predatory wealth.

Taft Weak in Northwest

The progressives believe that in view of the series of Taft vetoes on the tariff measures the chances to capture the Minnesota delegation for La Follette were never better. The leaders declare that North Dakota is opposed bitterly to Taft, and that it will send an anti-Taft delegation to the next convention. Alex McKenzie, for many years political boss in North Dakota, has admitted, it is said, that President Taft has no show in the Flickertail state; that the farmers are up in arms over reciprocity, and will not be pacified.

No More Bosses There. North Dakota has a progressive organization, but it has not as yet endorsed any presidential candidate. The La Follette workers are busy there, however. The backbone of party domination has been broken in North Dakota, first through the adoption of a state-wide primary

itely as to arrangements connected with the meeting. The expected visit of President Taft and other matters of great importance are at the present time receiving consideration by the executive council which, as soon as determined will enable us to notify all concerned.

Members of the executive committee at each place, and all others interested in the success of our endeavors will kindly take notice of the coming convention and work to the end that we will have a large and influential attendance from every town and city on the upper river. Very Respectfully,

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law, second, through a measure which, indirectly at least, gives the people an opportunity to express their choice for United States senator, and third, by the extension of the primary to govern the selection of national committeemen and delegates to national conventions.

Democrats Want a Progressive

That the democrats fear the growth of the La Follette boom is shown by the movement just started by Senator Owen of Oklahoma to defeat the nomination of Harmon, the professed leader of the conservative democrats. He belongs to the faction which backed President Cleveland and stood behind Allen B. Parker. Minnesota democrats refuse to be drawn into any indorsement or opposition to any man. It is not likely that the movement to join the proposed Democratic Federation of Precinct Clubs will be encouraged here.

Information has reached St. Paul that the relations between Knute Nelson and Moses E. Clapp, United States senators from Minnesota, have reached a point where the two men hardly speak as they pass by. In fact it is the understanding that Senator Nelson and Senator Clapp are farther apart than the two republican factions in the upper house. There is a personal element in their differences.

For a long time Senator Clapp has been operating with the progressives in congress, republican, Mr. Nelson's sympathies are with the regulars, and for all practical purposes he was a regular Mr. Clapp has

NAGEL WILL OPEN MILWAUKEE SHOW

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 26. — (Special)—Elaborate entertainment features will give a gala atmosphere to the Merchants' and Manufacturers' industrial exposition in the Milwaukee Auditorium, September 2 to 12.

The show will be opened on the night of Saturday, September 2, with a pageant participated in by all the civic and military bodies of Milwaukee. A fire works display will announce the arrival of the parade at the Auditorium and the formal opening ceremonies will follow. Charles Nagel, secretary of commerce and labor at Washington, will be the chief speaker and will officially open the show. Addresses will also be made by Governor Francis E. McGovern, Mayor Emil Seidel and President Otto H. Falk of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' association.

Military bands in the main arena and annex of the big building will give concerts afternoon and evening during the show and the regular musical program will be supplemented by organ recitals on a large pipe organ built especially for the show and comprising the exhibit of one of the manufacturers taking part. All working parts of the instrument will be open to admit a view of their operation and the organ will be equipped for playing by a professional organist or automatic player.

A large model airship, fourteen feet from tip to tip of the planes, and operated by wireless apparatus from below, will form the exhibit of one of the engineering schools to participate.

Lectures on industrial subjects will be held daily in Plankinton hall of the annex and all exhibitors will have experts constantly in attendance to explain the processes demonstrated at the show.

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Not Friendly for Years.

While it has not been generally known, it is now admitted by friends of the two senators that they have not been on particularly friendly terms for many years. However, their relations did not become seriously strained until the growth of the progressive movement in the senate. Mr. Clapp's affiliation with the progressive element has frequently placed him in sharp antagonism to Senator Nelson.



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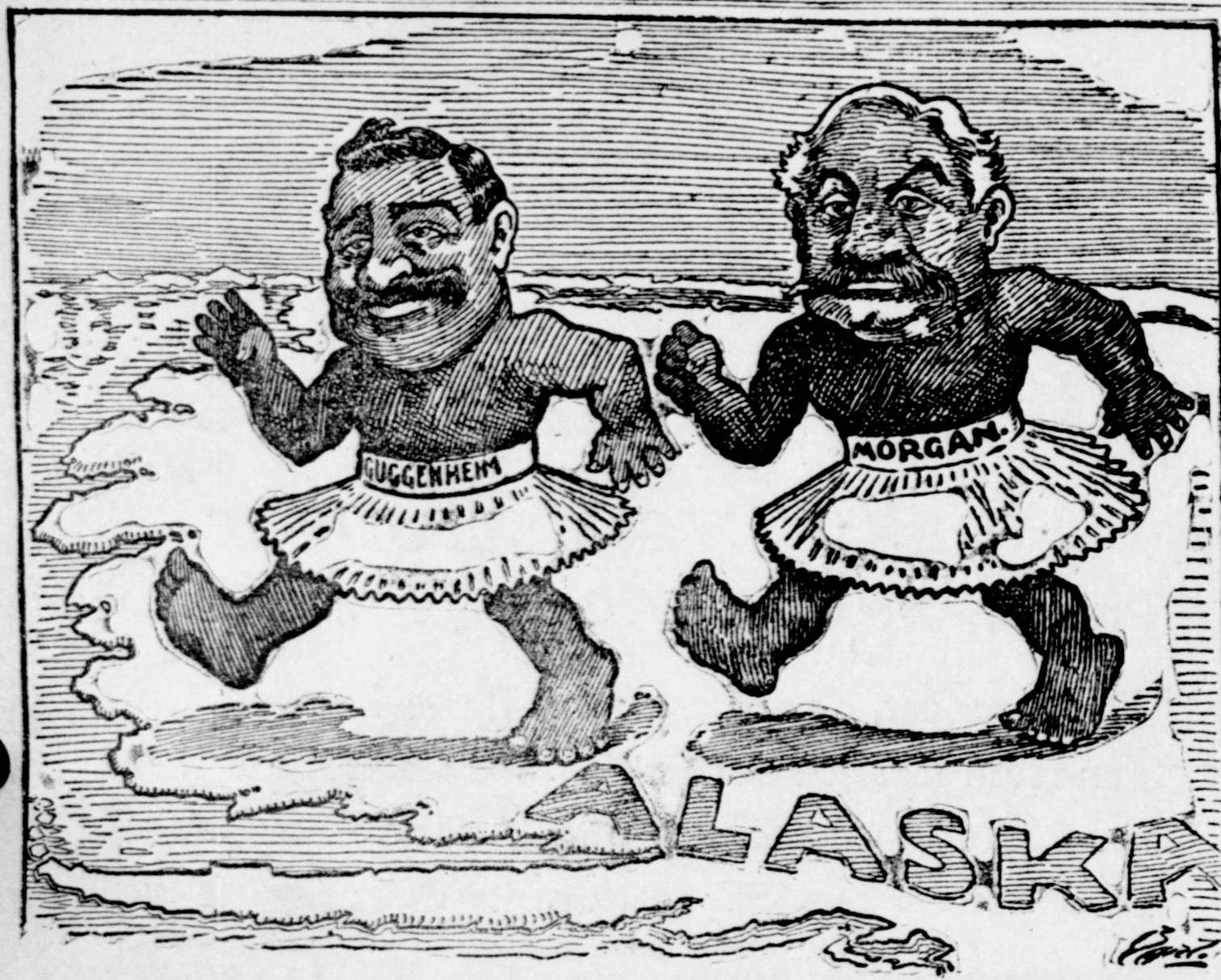
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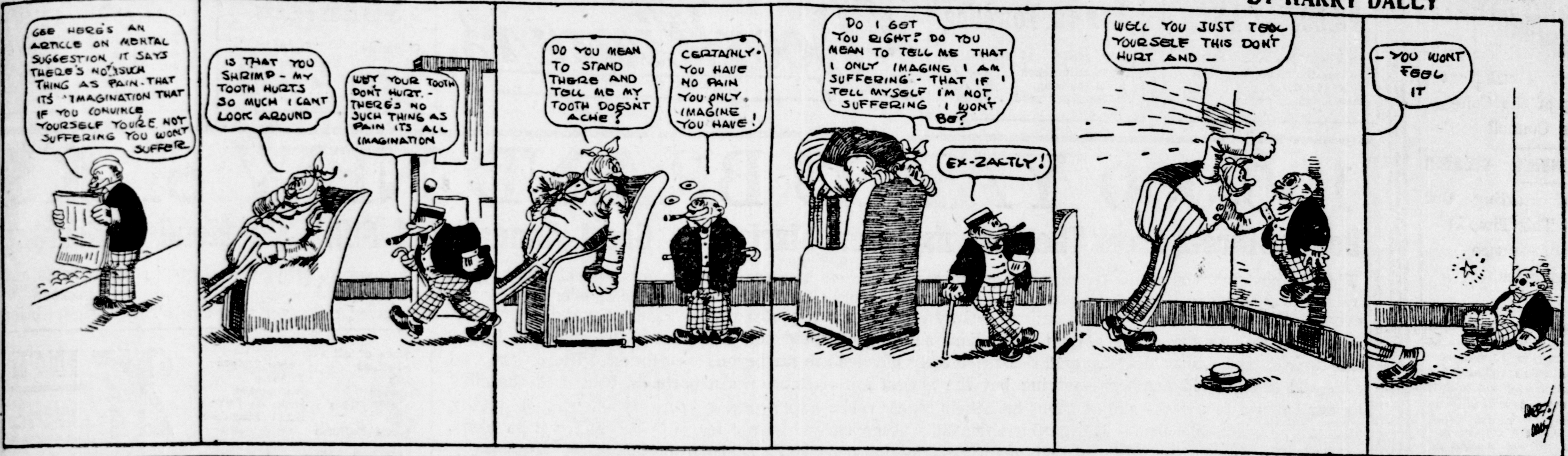


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WANTED—A piano player, man or woman to travel with dramatic company. Good salary. All expenses paid. Call 611 Ferry St., city. 8 24 26

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FOR SALE—Cheap. New counters, glass show cases, table. 803 So. 1st St. 8 23 9 12

FOR SALE—Confectionery and notion store. Fine stand. Poor health reason for selling. Address C. M. L., Tribune. 8 25 28

FOR SALE OR RENT—110 acre farm near Mound Prairie; 80 acres under plow. All buildings in good condition. Also 160 acre farm 4 miles from Bangor, 60 acres under plow. Good buildings, all in good condition. Call old phone 6794. 11 yes tom

ARE YOU A BLACKSMITH and a horseshoer? If so, I have a bargain for you at Westby. Call or write. T. J. Thorson, Westby, Wis. 8 25 26

FOR SALE—At once, good wood heater, \$2. Splendid condition. 209 South Fifth. 8 25 28

FOR SALE—Business chance; long established grocery doing a large business. Will invoice about \$4,000 including stock and all equipments. \$2,000 cash and balance time will handle same. Best money making proposition in the city. Address O. S., Tribune. 8 22 28

FOR SALE—Gentleman's solid gold ring with large pearl setting, worth \$35.00, can be bought cheap. Address Ring, care Tribune. 8 22 28

FOR SALE—Cheap, eleven horse power stationary gas engine. B. Ott & Son. 4 24 1f

FOR SALE—Very cheap, house 9 rooms; modern; with or without barn. Eighteenth and Ferry. 8 16 29

FOR SALE—House and lot, 137 South Twelfth. Inquire 121 South Third. 8 16 1f

FOR SALE—200 acre farm in Vernon county; good buildings; well fenced; fine water. 140 acres under cultivation. Not rough or hilly; good pasture; black clay soil. Stock and one-half crops go with farm. \$50 per acre. To close out estate. Address C. L., Tribune. 8 26 9 1

TRIBUNE WANTS

FOR SALE—Baby cab, leather top. In good condition. Will sell cheap. 134 So. 10th. 8 26 29

FOR SALE—Nice clean hardware stock, in live Wisconsin town. Will take residence property in La Crosse as part payment. Address P. O. Box 314, La Crosse, Wis. 8 26 26

FOR SALE—Antique furniture, oil paintings, bronze vases. Very reasonable. 329 S. 3rd St. 8 23 26

FOR SALE—Almost new. Ideal gas range. Inquire, rear 1116 Main. 8 23 1f

FOR SALE—House and lot. Very cheap. Inquire 1524 Winnebago. 8 21 9 2

FOR SALE—Household goods, 319 North 13th. 8 21 26

FOR SALE—No. 2 Premo 4x5 camera, plate or film, tripod, film pack holder, 4 plate holders, splendid lens, leather carrying case, worth \$40; will sell for \$20. New phone 1202-R, or 561-M. 7 11 1f

FOR SALE—Confectionery and restaurant at Stoddard, Wis. Inquire W. S., care Tribune. 8 16 9 15

FOR SALE—81 acre farm, 7 miles from La Crosse, on West Salem road. Good buildings and water. Price \$4,000. Terms reasonable. Address E. W. T., Tribune office. 8 16 9 5

FOR SALE—Second hand lumber. La Crosse Construction Co., Ninth and Green Bay. 6 12 1f

FOR SALE—Cheap, 24 foot motorboat, double 3 h. p. engine; comfortable family boat. Owner leaving city. New phone 534-M. 8 10 1f

FOR SALE—Soda fountain, reasonable. Baltimore Restaurant. 7 29 8 25

FOR SALE—Black dirt. Eighth and Adams. 8 9 1f

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern room, private. 414 Cameron. 8 2 1f

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room, 228 South Seventh. 8 9 1f

FOR RENT—House, 917 Market. 8 17 1f

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 714 Cass. 8 23 1f

FOR RENT—Room for one or two. 421 S. 10th. 8 23 1f

FOR RENT—Commission House at 118 N. Front St. Inquire J. F. C. Raymond, 332 Main. 8 24 1f

FOR RENT—Four nice large rooms with cellar, up-stairs. Price \$4.00. 1533 Adams. New phone 1280-M. 8 16 1f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with board. 118 South Ninth. 8 25 1f

FOR RENT—Store occupied by Dr. Guyton, 114 North Fifth street. City heat. 8 25 1f

FOR RENT—Six room house, partly modern. 519 Division street. 8 24 28

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, at 205 South Seventh. 8 25 30

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 717 Vine. 8 14 1f

FOR RENT—Seven room house, modern; hot water heat. 1310 South Fifth. 8 15 1f

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping; modern, city heat; two blocks from Main street. Address A. A., care Tribune. 8 19 1f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, all modern; second floor Tribune. 8 2 1f

FOR RENT—Cottage, with light and gas, barn, woodshed. 915 South Seventeenth. Inquire 1715 Mississippi. 8 19 22

FOR RENT—Second floor housekeeping rooms. 813 Johnson. Enquire 1027 So. 8th. 8 26 1f

FOR RENT—Four rooms, 728 Division. Inquire 935 Market. 8 26 1f

FOR RENT—Houseboat, completely furnished. Can give possession at once. 437-M new phone. 8 26 29

TRIBUNE WANTS MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Lady roomers and boarders in private home, at 615 Jackson street. Board reasonable. Old phone 9564. 8 25 31

WANTED—To do washings. 1317 Ferry. 8 24 30

WANTED—To do washing at home. 101 Ferry St. 8 24 26

WANTED—Position as domestic in good family by young girl. Address Marie Peterson, 2042 Charles St., or call New Phone 1109-R. Has good references. 8 21 1f

WANTED TO BUY—A shotgun. No particular model but must be in good condition and price reasonable. Address "Shotgun," Tribune. 8 12 1f

WANTED TO BUY—A second hand range with reservoir, in good condition, also a child's iron bed. Must be reasonable. Call old phone 5361. 8 26 26

FOR pleasant rowing and good fishing, go to the Lagoon Livery in Pettibone Park. 8 26 29

BEST SIDE line on earth; clean cut proposition; pocket samples; prompt commissions; consigned goods. Dyer Manufacturing Co., 1420 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill. 8 26 Sat 9 30

Public Stenography

TYPEWRITING, copying, stenography, multiple letters, addressing, by experts. W. V. Kidder, 312-314 MacMillan building. 5 8 1f

Coast Shipments

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Lost.

LOST—Ladies black jacket, white satin lining, between south side and Grand Crossing. Please return to office La Crosse Cigar Box Co. reward. 8 21 26

LOST—Reward for information of an evenly marked brindle and white bull dog. Call 1160 new phone. 8 21 1f

Funeral Directors

MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers, 320 Main. Phones 286. Open day and night.

Financial

LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 323 Main street, upstairs.

Architects, Superintendents

ANDREW ROTH—Successor to Schick & Roth. Architect and superintendent, La Crosse, Wis.

Dentist.

DR. A. T. RASMUSSEN, Rooms 210-211 Linker building, Fourth & Main. Office hours 9 to 12 and 1:30 to 5.

Special Repairing

SEWING machines made to run good as new, umbrellas repaired and recovered. Agent for the White Sewing machine. All goods called for and delivered. L. P. Cordell, 342 So. 20th. Phone 274-C. 8 24 26

Found.

FOUND—On August 12, brown hound. Came to 1403 Winnebago. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. 8 25 26

DOMESTIC MARKETS

New York Stocks
NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—The market opened weak, initial prices showing fractional losses in most standard shares. Renewed professional activity and the nervous condition of the London market were supposed to be the causes.

11 a. m.—In the first hour there was a recovery in prices which brought some leaders close to yesterday's last figures.

Government bonds unchanged; others lower.

The stock market closed barely steady.

Week Financial

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—The weekly bank statement to today shows the following changes:

Excess lawful reserve, increase, \$4,725,000.

Loans, decrease, \$9,570,000.

Specie, increase, \$5,048,000.

Legal tender, decrease \$323,000.

Net deposits, increase, \$10,881,900.

Circulation, increase, \$240,000.

Total loans, \$1,928,808,000.

The surplus of the banks is \$35,058,250 as compared with \$50,059,100 last year, and \$18,359,575 two years ago.

Real Estate

FOR RENT.
2 brick stores with dwelling room above, 1812 State St., each \$15.00
City heated flat, Fourth and Cass streets. FOR SALE.

Lot 92x150 feet, northwest corner Madison and 19th St., at a bargain.

Three acres of garden land, well fertilized, 24 Green Bay St., \$900.

A fine residence on South Tenth, between King and Cass. Inquire at office.

60 acre farm, 5 miles from court house. Best kind of soil. 10th stock and machinery. Call at office.

A fine building lot in Park addition, at a bargain.

C. F. KLEIN,

Fire, Tornado, Plate Glass, Liability, Livestock Insurance. Bonds, Loans, Notarial Work. Room 12, Majestic Theatre Building. Celery, stalk 5c

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Aug. 26.—Hogs—Receipts 7,000; market steady; mixed and butchers \$7.10 to \$7.75; good heavy \$7.10 to \$7.75; rough heavy \$6.90 to \$7.10; light \$7.25 to \$7.80; pigs \$4.85 to \$7.60.

Cattle—Receipts 2,000; market steady; heaves \$5.10 to \$8.10; cows and heifers \$2.25 to \$6.40; stockers and feeders \$3.10 to \$5.50; Texans \$4.50 to \$6.45; calves \$6.00 to \$8.85.

Sheep—Receipts 2,000; market steady; native \$2.15 to \$3.75; western \$2.50 to \$3.70; lambs \$4.00 to \$6.60; western \$4.75 to \$6.80.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Butter—Extras, 26c; firsts, 21c; dairy extras, 22c; firsts, 20c.

Eggs—Prime firsts, 17c; firsts, 15 1/2c.

Cheese—Twins, 12 1/2c to 12 3/4c; young Americas, 13 1/2c to 13 3/4c.

Potatoes—\$1.20 to \$1.30.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 13 to 13 1/2c; spring chickens, 14 1/2c to 15 1/2c; ducks, 13 to 13 1/2c; geese, 8 to 9c.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Cash grain: Wheat—No. 2 red, 90 3/4c to 91c; No. 3 red, 89 to 90 1/2c; No. 2 hard, 92 to 96c; No. 3 hard, 90 to 93c; No. 3 spring, 95 to \$1.00.

Corn—No. 2 white, 64 to 64 1/2c; No. 2 yellow, 64 1/2c to 64 3/4c; No. 3 white, 64 1/2c to 64 3/4c; No. 4 white, 63 1/2c to 64c; No. 4 yellow, 63 1/2c to 64c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 41 1/2c to 41 3/4c; No. 4 white, 40 to 41c; standard, 42 to 42 1/2c.

Grain Letter

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Low temperatures in the northwest along with the strength shown at Winnipeg was responsible for a fair advance in wheat today. The general trade was limited. There was some further September liquidation which led the changers to hold off.

Fluctuations in the corn market today were narrow. The trade was dull but the tendency of prices was upward. Local bulls were still buying moderately on the weak spots. There was some buying of September by cash houses.

Trade in oats has been small all week and the changes in prices as narrow as in other grains. The tone today was a little firmer in sympathy with wheat and corn.

The provision market but little more active than the grain list. Prices were higher earlier in the day but the gains were later lost.

COMPARATIVE MARKETS

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVE STOCK YESTERDAY.

UNION STOCK YARDS, Aug. 25.—Hogs—Receipts 13,000; market strong; mixed and butchers \$7.05 to \$7.70; good heavy \$7.15 to \$7.70; rough heavy \$6.90 to \$7.15; light \$7.20 to \$7.70; pigs \$4.75 to \$7.50.

Cattle—Receipts 2,000; market steady; heaves \$5.10 to \$8.10; cows and heifers \$2.25 to \$6.40; stockers and feeders \$3.15 to \$5.60; Texans \$4.50 to \$6.45; calves \$6.00 to \$8.45.

Sheep—Receipts 8,000; market steady; native \$2.15 to \$3.75; western \$2.50 to \$3.70; lambs \$4.00 to \$6.60; western \$4.75 to \$6.80.

LIVESTOCK A WEEK AGO

UNION STOCK YARDS, Aug. 19.—Hogs—Receipts 8,000; market steady; mixed and butchers \$7.05 to \$7.85; good heavy \$7.15 to \$7.70; rough heavy \$6.90 to \$7.15; light \$7.25 to \$7.85; pigs \$4.00 to \$7.65.

Cattle—Receipts 400; market steady; heaves \$5.25 to \$8.70; cows and heifers \$2.25 to \$6.25; stockers and feeders \$3.15 to \$5.60; Texans \$4.50 to \$6.45; calves \$6.00 to \$8.75.

Sheep—Receipts 2,000; market steady; native \$2.40 to \$3.80; western \$2.75 to \$3.80; lambs \$4.25 to \$7.10; western \$4.75 to \$7.10.

Grain Yesterday. Week Ago.

WHEAT—		
Sept.	90 1/4	89 1/2
Dec.	94 1/2	94 1/2
CORN—		
Sept.	64 1/2	65
Dec.	67 1/2	61 1/2
OATS—		
Sept.	42 1/2	41 1/2
Dec.	44 1/2	44 1/2

Man may be before gold by virtue of creation, but he's been after it ever since.

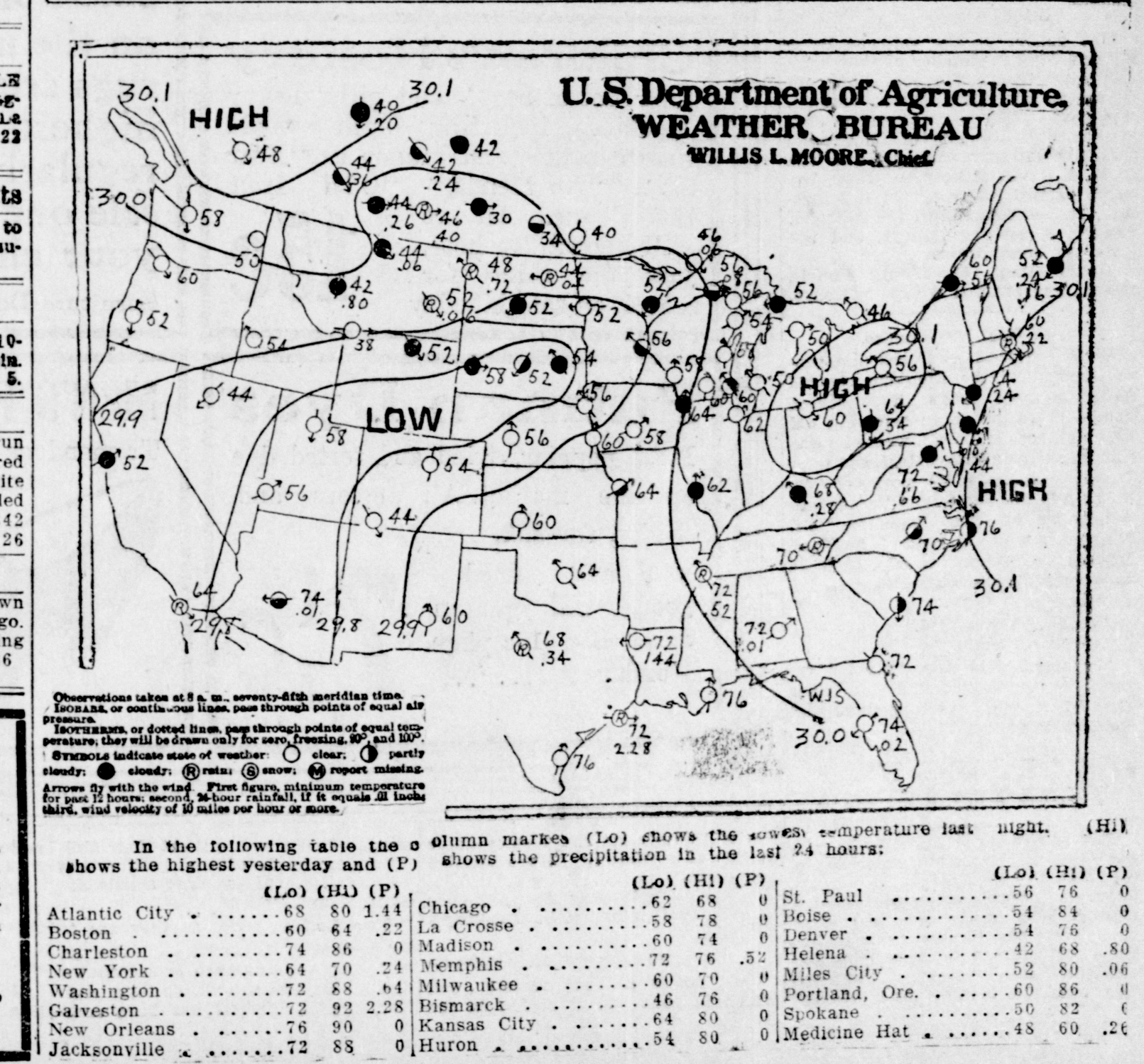
Filthy lucre is the social glue.

The most popular road to the morgue is known as "The Great White Way."

Blind faith is the benzoate of soda in which most wives try to preserve their love for their husbands.

There are some people whose attitude toward vice is like the tower at Pisa—always inclined, but never falling.

Weather Forecast and Special Weather Conditions



Accidents Happen



ASK WOODHOUSE.

MAHONEY OPPOSES CLOSING STREET

And Petition of Plow Co.
Held Over Until Next
Meeting of the Com-
mon Council

WATER BONDING DELAYED

No Use of Putting Out
Bonds at This Time is
Claim of Finance
Committee

Upon motion by Alderman P. W. Mahoney that action on the vacation of Badger street to allow the La Crosse Plow Company to construct a building there be deferred until the next regular meeting of the council when the company is to submit plans and specifications as to just what they intend to do, the council last night voted to let the matter go until September 8, the time for the next regular meeting.

Clean Up Street.

A petition was introduced by Alderman Frank Kohn from the property owners residing along Mt. Vernon street between Front and Second streets that that street be vacated as it was filled with iron, etc., which did much harm. The matter was referred to the committee on streets and alleys.

The committee on ordinance, finance and water recommended that action on the plan of bonding the city for a sum of \$250,000 for sinking wells for a new supply, be held over until the next regular meeting of the council on September 8, 1911.

Alderman nouska introduced a resolution that a sum of not to exceed \$300,000 be appropriated to extend the water main on State street through Levee Park, as the sewer on that street was clogged and had to be fixed. The resolution was passed.

Oppose Dumping.

A petition was received by residents of the north side protesting against dumping at the manhole at Logan and Rose streets, and asking that an appropriation of not over \$40.00 be given to remedy the existing conditions. This money is to be used for constructing a water pipe to create more sanitary conditions.

Plans for dumping at several other points including Black River were suggested, but the matter was referred to the committee on water, health, and sewers, they being instructed to consider all plans and they being given the power to act at once.

According to a petition received, property owners in the 1700 block on Berlin street want the water main extended there, this matter being referred to the water committee.

A request that Segelke & Kohlhaus be allowed to build a warehouse was turned to the fire committee.

A petition was read asking that the board of public works have the fruit stand on the south side of the building occupied by Stockhaus & Peterson on the corner of Third and Pearl streets, moved, was referred to the committee on streets and alleys.

It was voted to instruct the board of public works to compel persons who take dirt from certain places, to put it back where it came from.

Alderman P. W. Mahoney finished the reading of his report which he began at the regular August meeting on the convention of municipalities at Superior some time ago and, upon his motion, the paper was placed on record.

City Attorney A. H. Schubert introduced a resolution, which was passed, to the effect that the mayor and city clerk be instructed to draw on the city treasurer a sufficient amount to pay three jury commissioners.

Report is Referred.

The report of the railroad commission after a member of that body had investigated the conditions existing at the Rose street viaduct, was read. The communication was addressed to the city of La Crosse, the City Railway company and the C. M. & St. P. railway company, the three parties interested in the matter. It was referred to the railroad, finance, streets and alleys, and the judiciary committees.

Henry Strin, 624 South Fourth street, was granted a liquor license.

Ade Kept His Promise.

W. H. Hershman of Noblesville, superintendent of the Kentland schools during George Ade's high school course there, has been renewing old acquaintances at Delphi, where he was also formerly superintendent, and from Delphi comes one of his stories of Ade.

When Ade was home from Purdue university on his first vacation, Mr. Hershman, who was head of the Kentland Sunday school, asked Ade if he were attending Sunday school in La Fayette.

"No, sir," Ade replied.

"Why not, George?"

"Because," said Ade, "when I entered Purdue I promised my father that I'd never do anything there that I didn't do at home."

MYSTERY DUE NEXT
HERE NEXT SUNDAY

One of the big features to be presented at the Majestic theater, starting with the matinee Sunday afternoon, is Mercedes, the phenomenal pianist. This is her first American appearance and the management has been very fortunate in securing her services. In presenting the act, known as "La Pianiste De Mystery,"

she will surely set the theater goers of this city thinking, as she startled and amazed many in the old world, by playing selections the audience have on their mind, without asking a question.

Direct from a tour of the Orpheum circuit comes a true variety act, which is bound to live long in the

PILLOW CASES

Excellent grade, fine bleached muslin cases, size 42x36, on sale Monday, each 8c

Linen Toweling

Best grade, 16 1-2 inches wide unbleached linen toweling, Monday per yard 47/8c

Doerflinger's
A MINT OF ECONOMY

SHEETING

Celebrated "Lanesdale" brand, best sheeting, Monday per yard 73/4c

FLANNEL

Light colored outing flannel showing all popular new winter patterns, per yard 63/4c

100,000 YARDS BRAND NEW SILKS

Bought Direct From The Manufacturer Starts Our Great Annual Fall Silk Sale Monday Morning

With the past years of unquestioned prestige, gained by success of these annual events, we set out this year to surpass all previous efforts in assortments, and value giving—and Monday, August 28th, present the most stupendous display of silks ever seen in any store. It would be impossible and preposterous to even attempt to portray the rich hues and beauty of these masterpieces of weavers' art. Never did spinner, and weaver, and dyer, and artist of design, bring their gifts to such perfection as in this brilliant showing of brand new fall silks. The exquisite luster, fine weaves and dainty draping qualities so cleverly blended are far beyond description. There are no odds and ends, or old numbers—nothing but the newest fall dress and waist patterns, bought at the mills by our buyer a few weeks ago at about half their regular value. Every yard is guaranteed, best of quality and most fashionable shades and patterns for fall. Come early Monday morning for you'll not be disappointed. We reserve the right to limit quantities. Special attention is called to our Main St. Windows.

Checks of all Sizes
Messalines
Suras
Jaspares
Plain Taffetas
Plaids
Figured Taffetas
Pecan Stripes
Poplins
Burgalines
Satin de Luxe
Satin Duchesse

27 INCH WIDE

LOT 1—Hundreds of yards, in this popular silk for evening and street wear—showing the very newest, bright lustrous shades in self colored Jacquard patterns for Fall. All worth up to 50c included, Monday, choice per yard **25c**

BLACK TAFFETA

Lustrous, pure dye, black, pure silk taffeta, running full yard wide, regular \$1. and \$1.25 quality, on sale Monday per yard **69c**

LOT 4—Thousands of yards absolutely pure silk, finely woven and lustrous plaids, taffetas, and suras, in the most fetching and popular shades and colorings. We also include in this lot, 10 pieces of the most wanted and scarce pure silk foulards in navy blue. We were extremely fortunate in purchasing this lot, as navyblue silk foulards are conceded to be the most popular shade and fabric on the market for fall. All are \$1 and \$1.25 values, Monday, choice **59c**

LOT —Presenting an almost endless variety of anything and everything in the newest creations for Fall. All strictly highest grade pure dye, messalines, Bengalenes, Suras, Taffetas, plaids, stripes and fancies, in practically every shade, color and pattern on the market. Anything your fancy dictates in waist or dress patterns, can be found in this assemblage of all \$1.25 and \$1.50 quality, Monday, per yard **69c**

LOT 2—Most diversified assortment, newest creations, in fancy all silks and 27 inch pongees, in dots and Jacquard patterns. You'll find many desirable waist and as well as exclusive dress patterns in this assemblage, ranging in value to 75c. Choice Monday **39c**

LOT 6—Hundreds of yards, brand new "Reiling and Schoen" celebrated makes, presenting undoubtedly the greatest values ever offered in a silk sale. All are the newest, popular shades for Fall in dark wine, grey, navy, brown, Copenhagen, reseda, leather, white and black; this lot also contains hundreds of yards, exclusive Persian styles and patterns, measuring full 24 to 27 inches in width and will be shown no place else in La Crosse. Values up to \$2.00, choice Monday. . . . **79c**

LOT 3—Vast assemblage, handsome and dainty new Gondelier silks, showing all the new Winter and Fall shades and patterns in value worth up to 85c. Monday choice . . . **49c**

EMBROIDERIES

Monday, we place on sale to close out, a big assortment beautiful edges and insertions, ranging in width from 2 to 3 inches. Some are slightly mused and wrinkled, but for quality finest, and beautiful patterns, they'd be hard to equal. None are worth less than 5c, choice of entire lot, Monday, per yard **3c**

Children's Hosiery

Small lot of boys' and girls' heavy stockings, including such well known makes and brands as "Bear Skin," "No Mends," "Old Iron Sides," etc. All are well known 25c hose, just the thing for school, on sale Monday **15c**

Putman Dyes

Most popular, tried and tested dye on the market. All colors and shades, for silk, wool and mixed goods. All guaranteed. Big 10c pkge. Monday **7 1/2c**



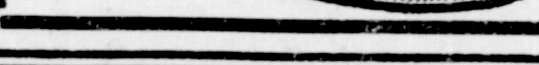
RUGS
MONDAY we shall place on Sale a tremendous assortment full size 36x72 inch, best grade, fast dyed, all wool Axminster Rugs, showing almost every conceivable floral, Oriental and Animal Patterns, popular on the market today. These rugs are everyone first class highest grade, made to sell regularly at \$4.50 to \$5. on sale one day, Monday only, your choice **\$2.75**

Furniture Department.

Third Floor.

MEN'S FINE GRADE OXFORDS, VALUES TO \$5.00 MONDAY 93c

Tremendous assortment containing oxfords for practically every occasion are included in this vast lot. We have gathered them all to \$5.00, regardless size, style, or quality, and including all patent leather, calf skins, oil grain, tans, and oxbloods, every size and style, button or lace; some without tips, many are hand made; various style heels, etc. Don't fail to inspect this lot Monday, values to \$5.00, choice of any **93c**



FREE!

Beginning Monday, we are going to give away free of charge a 50c Jar of Palm Olive Cream.



We want to introduce to the ladies of La Crosse the new product of the B. J. Johnson Soap Co., manufacturers of Palm Olive Soap and Cream.

To every customer who will purchase 6 cakes Palm Olive Soap, a genuine 65c value for 49c, we will give you a full size 50c jar Palm Olive Cream, total value \$1.10

ALL FOR 49c

NEW CORSET DEPT.

Owing to limited space, in our present Corset Dept., on and after Monday, August 28th., it will be located on the 2nd floor, immediately north of the elevator.

Dresser Scarfs

Large special purchase, handsome, full size covers. Beautifully made of excellent material, hemstitched and a row of drawn work all around. A genuine 39c value, would sell many places for 50c, on sale Monday (one to a customer) **25c**